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## FALL OF AIRSHIP WHILE ON TRIAL KILLS MANY MEN

### Giant Dirigible Roma, Purchased by United States From Italy, Plunges to Earth at Hampton Roads Naval Base and Becomes Mass of Fierce Flames.

### THIRTY-FOUR MEN ARE KILLED OUT OF FORTY-FIVE ON BOARD

NORFOLK, Feb. 21.—Thirty-four men were killed, eight were injured seriously, and three were uninjured or only slightly bruised, when the giant army airship Roma, with her crew and a number of civilians, totalling 44 in all, plunged today from a thousand feet or more in the air to the ground at the Hampton Roads naval base.

Flung earthward, presumably by a broken rudder, the giant airship plunged to strike the ground at the Hampton Roads base, capsized across a high tension electric line, and burst into a roaring furnace of blazing hydrogen gas.

Long after dark tonight, many hours after her fall, the ship was still a mass of flames from end to end of her 410-foot mass. The fire was feeding on the million cubic feet of gas that had distended the great bag for the flight.

Barely a dozen of the more than two score men aboard had been picked up alive. One died en route to a hospital. All those who survived the fire escaped by jumping as the ship struck. The others, penned in the hull beneath the fall of the bag, were burned to death. Heat of the fire fought back the rescuers for hours.

Three fire departments fought the flames with chemicals, and by 7 tonight it was out. Derricks began picking up the wreckage as the flames were driven back. There was scarcely more than the aluminum frame work and the six Liberty motors to move. Within the wreckage lay the bodies, many of them charred beyond direct recognition.

Thirty bodies had been taken out tonight. Three or four more were thought to be still in the charred mass that alone remained of what had been the largest ship of her type in the world.

Accounts of surviving officers as to what happened were not available tonight. Every man who escaped alive was burned or bruised, or both. Eye-witnesses who watched the smash agreed, however, that the huge kite-like structure of the stern rudder, itself as large as a bombing plane, had slipped to one side as the Roma drove along a thousand feet above the naval base.

She was making a trial flight with a new battery of Liberty motors. They were installed to replace Italian engines bought with her in Italy.

**Plunging to Earth**

It was just before two o'clock when those below at the army base at Hampton Roads had their attention caught by the approaching thunder of the six motors and looked up to see the Roma dip down from her straight flight. They agreed that the rudder seemed to have slipped bodily down and to one side.

The ship nosed steeply down as she came closer, and it was seen that her crew were hurling out sand ballast from the ports in the fragile fabric that formed the covering of the space between her keel and back, the living and operating quarters of the ship. The dipping blunt nose of the bag did not respond. On the ship came, unchecked in her glide earthward, heat first. Her commander could not force her the few hundred feet that would have dropped her into the waters of the bay and comparative safety for her people.

**Strikes High Power Wires**

Below ran the high double wires of the high power electric line.

The Roma's nose sank into the wires, broke them as the ship flattened to earth and rolled over, and the next moment came the noise of an explosion.

Flames burst out along the hull space. There was a rush of men to the rescue from the army post and the naval base beyond.

Just as the Roma neared the wires two men were seen to leap from high up on her slanting hull as the stricken, flaming monster writhed in her first death agony. Then more dropped from doors or portholes or through holes they tore in the fabric sides that enclosed them. Some leaped from the platform where the engines stood, far out from the hull. So fierce was the flare of the gas flame that rescuers were driven back before its terrific heat. The Roma was a wall of flame a city block long, and until the thousands of gallons of chemicals had checked the blaze it was impossible to count the men dead in that fiery furnace.

**Passengers Unknown**

The ship left no passenger list behind her when she set out for a trial run from Langley. She is known to have carried many officers and men as passengers, in addition to her operating crew. As she rose from the field, her commander leaned out to signal that he had forty-four persons aboard. It is believed he did not include one civilian on the ship, and that she actually carried forty-five. Two officers who knew personally many of the officers and enlisted men were unable to identify a single one of the victims, so badly charred were each and cooked to death in the mass of wreckage, when the explosion and flames encompassed them. Only those in the forward part of the operating compartment of the ship had a chance for their lives. Several were injured saverely by jumping, but three came out practically unhurt.

Lieutenant Burt, who, with Captain Reed, was the principal pilot of the Roma, was one of these. He jumped when the ship was only a few yards from the ground. A civilian, Ray Hurley, also escaped unhurt, as did Quartermaster-Sergeant Peek. Of the forty-five who left the Langley Field air station this afternoon, only eleven are known to have survived the accident. Some of these are more dead than alive.

Major J. D. Reardon, who was in the control cabin at the time of the accident, said the work of the officers in charge was excellent.

"Lieutenant Burt and Captain Mabry were at their wheels," the major said. "The ship ducked, and I saw Burt pull with all his might on the elevation lever. He yelled out, 'She won't respond,' and then cut the motors. One by one I heard the motors shut off, and then we struck. If the motors had not been shut off we would have hit the ground much harder."

## SHOW PRODUCTS IN METROPOLIS

### Canadian Manufacturers Are Impressed With Advisability of Making Permanent Exhibition of Their Wares

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—Canadian manufacturers are becoming aroused to the benefits of showing their products in London, England.

On February 6, the Department of Trade and Commerce published in its weekly journal an article by A. T. Wilgress, Canadian Government trade commissioner, specially assigned to interview the big independent houses of London, who act as purchasing agents for the world markets. He said that goods would be very welcome, but could not be considered unless manufacturers had permanent representation in London, with samples and prices always available.

A few Canadian manufacturers and exporters have now completed arrangements for a permanent exhibition in London, with selling service for all departments. All commercial exhibitions are valuable assets to seller and buyer, but for export purposes continuity of effort is the only method of producing permanent results.

An invitation is being extended to all Canadian manufacturers to co-operate by taking space and showing their products. The men behind this national enterprise are planning to eventually show all classes of Canadian products in Cape Town, Melbourne, Buenos Ayres and other capitals.

## HINDERS IMPORTATION OF CANADIAN CATTLE

LONDON, Feb. 21.—With reference to a suggested suspension of the order issued by the Ministry of Agriculture extending the time for the slaughter of imported cattle from one to ten days, a member of the House of Commons in the House today declared that owing to the limited accommodation at the ports, the extension would further restrict the facilities for the importation of Canadian cattle.

Sir Arthur Griffith-Boscawen, Minister of Agriculture, replied that the extension was necessitated by the strike of slaughterers at Birkenhead, which had rendered it impossible to secure slaughter there within the usual time. He said he understood, however, that the strike was now ended, and that the order would be rescinded as soon as the cattle at that port had been disposed of.

## MR. INNIS HOPKINS ELECTED PRESIDENT

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21. — Innis Hopkins, of the British Columbia Marine, limited, was elected president of the Metal Trades Employers' Association of British Columbia at the annual meeting of the association here tonight. Retiring President D. A. McIntosh was elected honorary president.

Other officers elected are: First vice-president, Eric Davies; second vice-president, W. J. Reid; honorary treasurer, J. Latta; executive committee, Messrs. F. T. Cope, D. A. McIntosh, H. J. Littler, J. Howard and A. B. Weeks.

## BRITAIN DEPENDENT ON MEAT IMPORTATION

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Addressing the Meat Traders' Union, Sir James Allan, New Zealand High Commissioner in London, last night pointed out that approximately 40 per cent of the meat consumed in the United Kingdom had to be secured by importation.

He added that "should war ever find us in its grip again it might be of such a nature that the supply of meat from other sources than the Dominions would be impracticable."

This demanded fuller consideration, and he called for action on the part of Great Britain to encourage greater production in the Dominions, "who out of loyalty to the Empire had granted a substantial preference to British production."

## STRIKING MINERS BECOME VIOLENT

### Furniture Belonging to Man Who Returned to Work Is Burned — More Workers Have Resumed

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Reuter's Johannesburg correspondent cables that, despite police escort, a crowd of strikers in the Benoni district poured petroleum upon and set fire to a trolley-load of furniture today belonging to a miner who had returned to work.

Two detectives were seriously injured in the head while arresting the ringleaders.

Such attempts at intimidation failed, the correspondent states, and there was a complete gain of over a hundred returned strikers during the day.

The situation this week at the mines is regarded as critical.

Reuter's Johannesburg correspondent cables that the strike of the coal miners and the staff of the electric power station at Vereeniging was broken yesterday by the return of as many strikers as were wanted to the Cornelia colliery and of thirty-one of the operating staff to the Victoria Falls power station. There also has ben a resumption of work in the brick and tile industry.

## DOMINION POWER CO. DEFIES MINISTER

HAMILTON, Feb. 21—The Dominion Power and Transmission Co. is defying the ruling of Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, that it must not enforce a wage reduction upon its employees until a board of conciliation had investigated and reported.

The company has notified him that the reduction went into effect on February 16, and will not be suspended, claiming that the agreement with the unions expired before the conciliation board was appointed, and therefore the act does not apply. It also cites the Supreme Court's decision in a similar case concerning the Nova Scotia Coal & Iron Co.

**Has Audience With Pope**

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Reuter's Rome correspondent cables that the Pope has given a private audience to Monsignor Joseph Leonard, Bishop of Rimouski. The conversation was held in French. The Pope showed great interest in the condition of the Church in Canada, and also Canadian problems generally.

## RADICAL PAPER HAS HARD TIME

### London Daily Herald, Organ of Extreme Communists, Admits That Its Finances Are in Hopeless State

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The Daily Herald, the organ of the extreme communists, which long has flown the flag of distress with regard to its own finances, admits that the recent reduction in the price of the paper from twopence to a penny has not produced the desired results. The editor indeed confesses that he "will not be able to continue the struggle on behalf of labor forever."

Since the beginning of January about £700 has been raised by The Herald, mostly in £1 notes, but thousands of pounds were appealed for.

The Westminster Gazette, which a few months ago transformed itself from a penny evening paper to a twopenny morning publication, reduced the price yesterday to a penny. As an evening paper, The Westminster Gazette held a unique position in the English newspaper field, mainly owing to the ability of its editor, J. M. Spender, who has just relinquished his editorship.

## ULSTER CABINET RESENTS ACTION

### Sends Sharp Message to Home Government Respecting Complaints About Prisoners From Michael Collins

### MR. CHURCHILL ON MURDER OF OFFICERS

### Number of Men Kidnapped in Raids on Border Still Held by Republicans—Are Ulster Specials

BELFAST, Feb. 21.—With reference to the complaints made by Michael Collins regarding the treatment of prisoners in the hands of the Ulsterites, the Ulster Home Office today sent the following telegram to Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for the Colonies.

"The Government of Northern Ireland desires it to be understood that they cannot submit to any further outside interference with the administration of justice in Northern Ireland at the instance of persons hostile to our parliament.

"The Government strongly resents the making of vague charges against their constabulary, unsupported by any evidence. The constabulary has behaved admirably under the greatest provocation.

"You stated last week in the House of Commons that the Imperial Government does not recognize, has not recognized, and never will recognize an Irish republic. Our Northern Government, in the same way, cannot recognize any Irish republic or any other irregular organization which attempts to usurp the functions of forces of the crown in any way within our northern area."

**Murder of Officers**

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Winston Spencer Churchill, the Colonial Secretary, told a questioner in the House of Commons today that information he had received concerning the death of Lieutenant Mead and Sergeant Cunliffe of the Royal army service corps, near Dublin yesterday, showed that some persons had laid in ambush for the purpose of attacking any military cars. And it was by those persons, said Mr. Churchill, that these two men were murdered. He did not know whether the officer and the sergeant were armed. He said a detachment of provisional government and Crown forces had proceeded to the spot, and he was awaiting the result of his investigations. He said he was assured that the provisional government was taking all possible steps to bring to justice the perpetrators of this crime.

**Twenty-Six Released**

BELFAST, Feb. 21.—It was officially stated that 26 men had been released and not 42, as was announced by Austen Chamberlain in the House of Commons last Friday, on the assurance of Michael Collins. Premier Craig today continued his visit to the scenes of the kidnapping along the border. The utmost secrecy is maintained regarding his movements.

While most of the Unionists captured recently in Northern Ireland have been released, the Ulster Home Office announced today that twenty-six of the kidnapped men had not yet been returned.

Of these men apparently still held in custody, fourteen are class A special constables, and eleven class B specials. The other missing man is Ivan Carson, former high sheriff of Fermanagh, who was kidnapped at Clady, February 9. His wife received a letter from him the next day stating he was well, but not revealing the place of his detention.

**Assurances From America**

DUBLIN, Feb. 21.—Michael Collins, head of the provisional government, has received two cable dispatches from Philadelphia supporting the Irish Free State. One of them was from Michael J. Ryan, national president of the United Irish League of America. This dispatch said: "A vast majority of the Americans wish success for the Irish Free State, and will support you."

**Sir Henry Wilson Elected**

BELFAST, Feb. 21.—Field Marshal Sir Henry Wilson, former chief of staff of the British Army, was returned unopposed today as Unionist member of the House of Commons for North Down. Indications in recent dispatches have been that he will be a strong supporter of the policies of Sir James Craig, premier of Ulster.

## HERTFORD COUNCIL OBJECTS TO SNUB

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The Hertford Town Council is offended because the Home Secretary, Rt. Hon. Edward Shortt, K.C., refused to submit to His Majesty's Council a congratulatory address on the coming marriage of Princess Mary because the borough of Hertford has assumed the title "Royal" without proper authority.

The corporation rejoins that from earliest times Hertford castle and town had been crown property. It appears that if Hertford would describe itself as loyal, not royal, everything would be in order.

Newspaper commentators declare that the King himself would be ready to set the "officious Home Secretary" an example of courtesy in the matter.

**Shooting in Silesia**

BERLIN, Feb. 21.—A telegram received here today from Breslau reported that a German police sergeant was shot by a French soldier at Gleiwitz, Upper Silesia, on Sunday, during the course of an encounter between three French soldiers and a number of civilians

## SINN FEINERS WISH TO AVOID DIVISION INTO TWO FACTIONS

### Members Meeting in National Convention Are Generally Opposed to Disruption of Their Organization by Inveterate Hostility Over Free State or Republic

## HARMONY EFFORTS NOT FROM LEADERS

### Indication Given That Elections Will Be Postponed, With Endeavors Made in Interim to Heal Differences in Ranks—Strong Sentiment for Unity Apparent

DUBLIN, Feb. 21.—There is a possibility that a split in the Sinn Fein over the Anglo-Irish treaty will be avoided. The Ard Fheis, the National Sinn Fein convention, which met at the Mansion House today for the purpose of defining the attitude of the Sinn Fein clubs on the treaty, whether for a free state or a republic, adjourned until tomorrow with instructions to the leaders of these two parties to come together and devise a plan to keep the Sinn Fein organization united.

This unexpected outcome was due to the direct initiative of the meeting in general, and was not prompted by the leaders of either side. After Eamonn de Valera had presented a resolution pledging adherence to the constitution adopted by the Ard Fheis in 1917, looking to "international recognition of Ireland as an independent republic," and stated his objections to the treaty on republican principles, the debate, unlike the discussion in the Dail Eireann, did not settle down into an expression on the merits and demerits of the treaty.

Arthur Griffith, president of the Dail Eireann, replying to de Valera, raised no new points; he merely reasserted that the treaty gave Ireland the opportunity it needed.

Cheers from both sides greeted the suggestion of Father Gaynor, an influential member of the standing committee, composed of both supporters and opponents of the treaty, for a three years' postponement of the elections, and proved that the prevailing sentiment was for unity in the organization in view of possible eventualities, and that it should not be difficult for de Valera and Griffith to reach an arrangement avoiding disruption of the organization on which Ireland, iff the case of a breach between the British Ministers and Ireland, might be compelled to rely.

**No Guarantee**

Mr. de Valera argued that elections at the present time would be unfair, because the Irish people would have only the vaguest idea of what they were offered in exchange for the "republic."

Michael Collins did his best to meet this objection and indicated that he did not desire that the elections be rushed, but was unable to give a guarantee against elections. He pointed out that so long as the elections were delayed it was open to the supporters of de Valera to defeat the provisional government in the Dail Eireann, and that defeat by one vote on a minor point would compel the government to resign.

Mr. Griffith emphasized the same point, and charged that de Valera was trying to avoid a decision by the people.

Mr. de Valera resented this, and, meeting the objection of Collins and Griffith, that they could not guarantee that Mr. Lloyd George would not force elections, contended that no elections could be held without the sanction of the Dail Eireann and the army.

**Wish to Avoid Split**

Subsequent speakers reinforced the plea that the leaders should endeavor to avoid a split, the most notable being priests, who, without exception, took this line.

The matter was finally settled by the intervention of Michael Mulcahy, who, as Minister of Defence and head of the army, carries great influence. Mr. Mulcahy framed a resolution directing that the leaders meet tonight and seek a basis of agreement for submission to the convention tomorrow.

Several of the leading members of both sides, questioned later, expressed doubt as to the possibility of accommodation. Mr. Collins, however, was strongly of the opinion, which he voiced forcibly to the meeting, that the situation would so improve that three months hence united decisions, now impossible, might then be reached.

**Generally Harmonious**

Despite the long-drawn-out and arduous session in the cold and draughty hall, the general tone of the convention was unexpectedly harmonious. It is unquestioned that the rank and file, both republicans and free staters, are earnestly desirous to prevent a split, and every move toward the continuation of unity was heartily applauded. Just before adjournment both de Valera and Collins admitted that they had entered the meeting believing that a compromise was impossible, and that the attitude of the delegates surprised them. So strong was the sentiment for unity that a priest who suggested that the party leaders on both sides should be deposed, if necessary, to keep the organization intact, received applause.

**Price of Bread Raised**

HAMILTON, Feb. 21.—The price of bread was raised from seven cents to nine cents a loaf here today.

## MEN ON RELIEF WORK STRIKE AT SASKATOON

SASKATOON, Feb. 21.—All single men and part of the married men who have been working three hours a day on a sewer diversion, as part of the city's programme of unemployment relief, went on strike this morning, claiming the right to receive relief without being forced to work on an "unproductive project."

F. J. Rowlands, relief officer, stated that under the city council's regulations he has no alternative but to cut the names of the strikers from the relief lists.

## MINISTERIAL CRISIS PERSISTS IN ITALY

ROME, Feb. 21.—Further complications developed today in the Italian ministerial crisis on account of the refusal of former Premier Orlando and Enrico De Nicola, president of the Chamber of Deputies, to co-operate with former Premier Giolitti, who was invited to form a cabinet to succeed the Bonomi ministry.

Some Rome newspapers today reported the possibility that either former Premier Orlando or Signor de Nicola might head the new cabinet, but the proposal that they might collaborate was generaly scouted.

## UNIONIST PARTY DEBATES POLICY

### Mr. Chamberlain Says There Is Understanding With Lloyd George Liberals — North Camberwell Election Result

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The future policy of the Unionist party, particularly with regard to the question of coalition, was discussed at a meeting of the National Council of the National Unionist Association held in Central Hall, Westminster, today. Rt. Hon. Austen Chamberlain, Government leader in the House of Commons, in a speech, said the chief hope of their opponents was in disunion in the Unionist party. He stated that, while there would be no coalition after the next election, there would be a distinct understanding between the Unionists and the followers of Lloyd George, who had agreed upon all the great principles affecting the Empire.

The result in the North Camberwell by-election yesterday, when the Labor candidate, Charles G. Ammon, defeated the Conservative candidate, R. J. Meller, by a majority of 1,315, is hailed with delight by the Laborites and Independent Liberals as a great blow dealt the Government. Their organs point out gleefully that this is the eighteenth seat lost to the Coalition Government since the general election, and the twelfth seat won by Labor.

J. R. Clynes, Labor leader, declares that the figures in the results of the Camberwell by-election show that Labor still is as strong in the London boroughs as at the last general election. He says the Government's moral credit is smashed.

No less an Independent Liberal organ than The Westminster Gazette goes so far as to declare that the Coalition has nowhere more than an outside chance in a straight fight.

## ZR-2 DISASTER NOW RECALLED

### Correspondent Says Air Ministry's Report Contains Some Startling Disclosures—Faulty Construction Alleged

LONDON, Feb. 21.—What are characterized as "sensational disclosures" are made in the Air Ministry's report into the R-38 disaster at Hull last Summer, says the air correspondent of The Evening Star in an article today.

The R-38, renamed the ZR-2 when it was purchased by the United States from the British Government, collapsed over Hull while on a trial trip, with the loss of more than forty lives, including nearly a score of Americans.

The correspondant says no decision has been reached to make public the report, but asserts that much of the Air Ministry's inquiry "will be found to contain findings to all intents and purposes diametrically opposite to those of the naval airship experts," and he adds that "the whole system under which the ship was constructed is strongly condemned."

Referring to the findings of the preliminary court of inquiry, the correspondent says:

"It was suggested that bad design in the casing and weakness in the framework, which was unable to stand the strain of full flight, led to the disaster. This point is stressed in a further and detailed report which is still being studied by the chiefs of the Air Ministry."

## PETER VEREGIN REPEATS STORY

### Says Statement in Regard to Killing of Doukhobor Children Was Sent to Papers With His Sanction

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21.—The article published today in Canadian newspapers crediting officials of the Doukhobor colony with the statement that Doukhobor children might be killed off and the colony scatter as a wandering tribe, was given out with the knowledge and sanction of Peter Veregin, head of the Canadian Doukhobors.

Mr. Veregin's name was mentioned in the article, which said that Doukhobors were taxed so heavily that the colony probably would find it impossible to support its children and infirm.

The Canadian Press, Limited, today asked Mr. Veregin for a statement, and received tonight the following telegram in reply:

"Wire received. Kindly refer yourselves to The Vancouver Daily Sun, which paper has a detailed article regarding the story in which you are interested in connection with Doukhobor life for recent days. Although the article is signed by Mr. Koftinoff, yet it had my sanction.

(Sgd.) "P. VEREGIN,
"Brilliant, B.C."

"The statement that Peter Veregin, Doukhobor chief, contemplates slaughter of children and aged and infirm persons so that the fit Doukhobors may roam about as vagrants in protest against exorbitant taxation, is quite true," declared M. M. Koftinoff, manager of the Brilliant, B.C., Christian Community of the Universal Brotherhood, this afternoon over the long-distance telephone. "The statement was given to the press," said Mr. Koftinoff, "by the Brilliant Doukhobor community with the consent of Mr. Veregin."

Mr. Veregin could not make himself understood over the telephone line, and delegated Mr. Koftinoff to speak for him.

OTTAWA, Feb. 21.—Government officials here who have had dealings with Peter Veregin, leader of the Doukhobors in the West, for some weeks past, apparently place little credence in the report that Veregin contemplates wholesale murders of children and aged and infirm persons so that his followers may roam about freely. They point out that Veregin is well informed as to what would be the consequences of such action, and look upon the story as somewhat of a new Doukhobor sensation, rather along the lines of a peculiar form of propaganda.

Commissioner A. B. Perry, head of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, stated tonight that he has received no official information as to such declarations by Veregin as he would have done if there was anything serious behind them. If any such action was contemplated, the Mounted Police force would take speedy measures to upset the plan.

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TORONTO, Feb. 21.—Following a suggestion by President Sir Robert Falconer, of Toronto University, that Ontario firms would do well to provide fellowships which would allow students from Western universities to pursue post-graduate studies at the University of Toronto instead of going to the United States for such advanced work, the Canadian Pacific Railway has led off with the establishment of three scholarships.

President E. W. Beatty writes that at the last meeting of the board authority was granted to provide three scholarships of $500 each for graduate of Western universities "with a view not only to keeping these graduates in Canada, but also that they might become better acquainted with the conditions of the East and so tend to promote Canadian unity upon their subsequent return to the West."

**To Promote Unity**

MONTREAL, Feb. 21.—Three annual scholarships to the value of $500 each have been granted to Toronto University by the Canadian Pacific Railway for the purpose of inducing graduates of Western colleges in Canada to pursue their post-graduate studies at the University of Toronto.

It has for some time been felt that Canadian national unity would be very greatly fostered by some such move as this. The universities of Western Canada are growing fast, and their standard of instruction is high, the result being that a large and ever-growing class of their students show a desire to pursue graduate and professional careers beyond the stage which is at present offered in their Provincial institutions. In the past American universities, by reason of their comparative nearness and also because of scholarships which they have been able to offer, have attracted a large percentage of these students for post-graduate work.

Many of the students attending the universities of the Canadian West have originally come from the United States, or even from Europe, and most of them know very little about Eastern Canada, the result being that if they obtain their advanced instruction in the United States, they will, when they return to take up their work as leaders in the thought and action of Western Canada, be even less inclined than formerly to become active factors in the welding together of the Eastern and Western sections of the country. The purpose of these three scholarships is to strengthen the intellectual, educational, religious and economical links between East and West, and it is intended by this means to enable a constant succession of the brightest and most ambitious of Western university students to become familiar with methods of life and thought in Eastern Canada. There is no doubt that the opportunity to get into first-hand touch with the older Canada that lies east of the Great Lakes will be eagerly taken advantage of. University authorities say there is no lack of advanced students eligible for such scholarships, as is stated by Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific in his letter to Sir Robert Falconer, president of Toronto University, announcing the granting of the three scholarships. "The movement is one that will obviously be of benefit, not only to the students, but also to the communities in which they will afterwards live."

**Venizelos in South America**

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 21.—Former Premier Venizelos, of Greece, arrived here yesterday. He was tendered a banquet by the American charge d'affaires. He intends to sail for Chile today.

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# LAST HONOR PAID GENERAL WATSON

## Noted Soldier and Publisher Laid to Rest With Solemn Ceremonial — Messages of Sympathy Sent

QUEBEC, Feb. 21.—With imposing solemnity and all the impressiveness lent by the pomp of a military funeral, the remains of the late Major-General Sir David Watson were carried in procession through the streets of his native city this afternoon from his residence, on St. Ursule Street, to Chalmers Church, and afterwards to Mount Hermon cemetery for interment.

The streets were crowded with lines of fellow-citizens of the deceased warrior, while attending the funeral were the Hon W. L. Mackenzie King, Premier of Canada; Hon. L. A. Taschereau, Premier of Quebec; Major Willis O'Connor, representing the Governor-General, and His Honor Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, while the pall-bearers were Canadian generals who, like the deceased soldier, fought and achieved great honor during the Great War. They were: Lieut.-Gen. Sir Richard Turner, V.C.; Maj.-Gen. Sir Edward Morrison, Maj.-Gen. Sir Archie Macdonnell, Maj.-Gen. J. H. Macbrien, Maj.-Gen. W. M. King, Brig.-Gen. T. L. Tremblay.

Following were all the officers of local military units, veterans, the staff of The Daily Chronicle, which paper Sir David Watson owned, and representatives of the Masonic Order, curling clubs and Typographical Union. Immediately following the gun carriage carrying the casket was Sir David's charger, with the boots reversed. The Dead March in Saul was played by the band of the Royal Canadian Garrison Club. As the cortege left the church, after service conducted by Rev. S. Martin, of Montreal, thirteen guns of the historic citadel boomed out a general salute. At the cemetery a volley was fired and the Last Post sounded.

The general regret which was felt at the death of Major-General Sir David Watson, K.C.B., C.M.G., not only in this city and throughout the country, but in the United States and England, was feelingly expressed in the many telegrams and cablegrams of sympathy received by Lady Watson. Among the messages of sympathy received by Lady Watson were the following:

His Majesty the King: "His Majesty the King desires me to convey to you and your family his deepest sympathy in your great loss.

(Signed) "Byng of Vimy."

Lord Byng of Vimy: "Our very deepest sympathy to you in your terrible bereavement. I have lost a great friend."

General Sir Arthur Currie and Lord Shaughnessy also sent messages of condolence.

# RAILWAYS MAKE BETTER RETURNS

## Figures for Month of November Last Show Decrease of Operating Ratio — Grand Trunk Is Exception

OTTAWA, Feb. 21.—Analysis of operating revenues and expenses of all Canadian steam railways, issued by the transportation division of the bureau of statistics today, indicated an improvement in the position of the Government lines. The figures cover the month of November last, and show a substantial decline in the ratio of operating expenses to revenue.

As compared with November, 1920, the operating ratio for last November was:

| | November, 1921 | November, 1920 |
|---|---|---|
| All Canadian Railways | 85.09% | 89.29% |
| Government Railways | 92.31% | 117.21% |
| Canadian National Division | 93.54% | 107.93% |
| Canadian Pacific | 76.09% | 79.17% |
| Grand Trunk | 97.13% | 89.39% |

The purpose of the above percentages is that while, in November, 1920, the Government lines cost more to operate than was actually received in revenues, last November there was a surplus of operating revenue over operating expenses. These percentages do not take fixed charges into consideration.

The Grand Trunk was the only railway to increase its operating ratio. The increase was 8 per cent over the figure for November of the previous year, and it was also higher than October by 10 per cent. The revenue freight ton miles of the Grand Trunk decreased 10 per cent from November, 1920, and the freight revenue decreased 20 per cent. The passenger miles increased over 3 per cent, but the lower fares caused a decrease in the revenue of 19 per cent. The Grand Trunk was the only one of the larger roads to show an increase in passenger traffic, despite the fact that the increase of 20 per cent in passenger rates effective September, 1920, had been removed.

# LIBERAL EXECUTIVE MEETS AT VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21.—The executive committee of the British Columbia Liberal Association will meet here tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The committee consists of the Provincial officers, appointed members of the executive, B. C. Liberal members of the Legislature and the presidents of all district Liberal associations throughout the Province.

M. A. Macdonald, K.C., president, will preside. A discussion as to the date and meeting place of a party convention will be held.

**Killed by Fall From Ladder**

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 21.—A man by the name of Arnstein, employed as a cook on the American fishing boat Convention, is dead here from injuries received in a fall from a wharf ladder. Arnstein's wife resides in Seattle.

# GERMAN LINER BARRED FROM BOULOGNE PORT

BUENOS AYRES, Feb. 21.—The reported action of the French Government in refusing the new German liner Cap Polonio entrance to the port of Boulogne on February 17 is criticized by various newspapers. The steamer was on her maiden trip from Hamburg to this port.

Advices state that the action of the French Government was taken on the day the Cap Polonio was due to call at Boulogne, and that the passengers waiting there to embark on the steamer had to take a train to Lisbon and board her there.

It is announced that the Hamburg-South American Line, on the return trip of the Cap Polonio, will provide a special train from Lisbon to Paris, and another from Rotterdam to Paris to accommodate Southampton passengers desiring to go to Paris.

# PREPARING FOR COMING SESSION

## Election of Commons Speaker Takes Place on March 8—Announcement of Mr. Crerar's Intentions Awaited

OTTAWA, Feb. 21.—Arrangements for the opening of Parliament are under way. At 3 o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday, March 8, the informal opening, at which Right Hon. Sir Louis Davies, deputy to the Governor-General, will preside, takes place. The members of the House of Commons will be called to the Senate, but will return to their own chamber to elect a Speaker in readiness for the formal opening on the following day.

The formal opening, which will be conducted with all the pomp and ceremony prevailing in pre-war days, takes place at 3 o'clock on Thursday, March 9. His Excellency the Governor-General, accompanied by members of his staff and a military escort, will drive from Rideau Hall to the Senate chamber. A guard of honor will be drawn up on Parliament Hill and a salute of 19 guns will be fired when the party from Government House arrives on Parliament Hill.

His Excellency will take his seat on the Speaker's throne in the Senate chamber, and the members of the Commons will be summoned to attend. Led by the newly-elected Speaker, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, they will march from the Commons to the Senate chamber, where the speech from the throne will be delivered. Wives of Cabinet ministers and other prominent ladies will be seated on the floor of the Senate, while the galleries will be occupied by those who have obtained tickets for the opening.

The drawing-room, at which Their Excellencies receive together, will take place in the Senate chamber on Saturday evening, March 11, at 9 o'clock. Invitations are now being issued for the drawing-room, but all arrangements in regard to it have not yet been made.

The return from Florida of Hon. T. A. Crerar, leader of the National Progressives, is being awaited somewhat anxiously by a number of members of the new House. At the recent conference of acting whips, alternative schemes of seating in the chamber and for the allocations of rooms were drawn up, the idea being that final arrangements would wait on definite announcement by Mr. Crerar as to whether or not he would occupy the post of official leader of the opposition. At present Mr. Crerar is resting in Florida, and advices to hand are that he is unlikely to be back for another week. In the meantime, it is stated here that some of the older members are getting anxious as to their rooms and seating, as these cannot be allocated until Mr. Crerar's decision is known.

It is, however, expected that Mr. Crerar will shortly announce his intentions and present difficulties will be set at rest. Little doubt is felt that he will decide to leave the post of leader of the opposition to Right Hon. Arthur Meighen.

# BRITISH-AMERICAN POST IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21.—Following the recent action of the Victoria founders of the League, Post No. 2 of the British-American League, was founded in Vancouver last night, under the presidency of Bishop Du Pencier, of the Anglican Diocese of New Westminster.

Clarence Darling is secretary-treasurer.

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# RATE ARGUMENT TO BE DEFERRED

## Mr. McGeer Carries His Point in Regard to Adjournment—In Meantime More Evidence Is Heard

OTTAWA, Feb. 21.—Adjournment of the case now being argued before the Board of Railway Commissioners, in which equalization of the freight rates between the East and West is sought, will probably be made tomorrow afternoon, following the examination of C. A. Hayes, vice-president in charge of traffic for the Canadian National lines, and D. O. Lewis, leading British Columbia engineer. The case will be resumed on March 13 or 14 for argument of counsel, although G. G. McGeer, counsel for British Columbia, has reserved the right to further examine W. B. Lanigan, chief traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The session this afternoon was devoted to an exhaustive examination of Mr. Lanigan by H. J. Symington, counsel for the Government of Manitoba.

Following the session today, Mr. McGeer said that through Mr. Lewis he would show that the mountain grades in many instances were not so severe as the grades on the prairies.

**Chairman's Objection**

At the opening of the hearing this morning Chairman F. B. Carvell, of the Board of Railway Commissioners, objected to Mr. McGeer asking for an adjournment of three weeks. There was no need of further delay, and the board had other work to do, the chairman declared. Mr. McGeer urged that any delay was not due to British Columbia. He had pressed for speed, but was suddenly confronted with 32 statistical exhibits which he wished to analyze.

Mr. Carvell—How much propaganda in this?

Mr. McGeer declared he did not understand the remark.

Mr. Carvell said that the Board of Railway Commissioners was a court, and that Mr. McGeer should not be influenced by the newspapers.

Mr. McGeer insisted on the adjournment.

Mr. Carvell in allowing it said that the case would proceed on that understanding.

**Mr. Symington Wishes Haste**

Mr. Symington, counsel for Manitoba, declared he was ready to proceed with the rates case as it applied to the prairies, but, he said, Mr. Chrysler objected to this.

Mr. Chrysler urged that it was hardly right to proceed with the argument until all the evidence was in.

E. P. Flintoff, Canadian Pacific Railway counsel, said that if Mr. McGeer or his experts wanted assistance in the way of studying the tariff he would be glad to give any help he could. Mr. Flintoff said the original tariffs would be available in Montreal.

Mr. Symington insisted on the case proceeding. "We were coming to a serious time," he said. The case had been going on for a considerable time. It was necessary to determine the rates so that the merchants could arrange for their year's business.

Mr. Carvell declared the judgment could only be given after a great deal of thought and study. The present rate structure expired the first of July, and the chief commissioner indicated that it would be some time after the close of the present hearing before judgment was made.

Mr. Symington remarked that he wanted to go on, but that he was in the hands of the board.

Argument of the case was postponed for three weeks. "Now let us do business," Mr. Carvell remarked.

It is not expected that argument will be held until March 13 or 14, although Mr. Carvell said all the evidence possible would be taken before the case was adjourned.

**Prairie and B. C. Rates**

Mr. Symington proceeded with the cross-examination of W. B. Lanigan, C. P. R. freight traffic manager.

In the western rates case grain rates were not changed.

Mr. Lanigan objected to being called a freight traffic expert. Replying to Mr. Symington, he said that the British Columbia rates should be higher than the prairie rates. At even rates the prairies would produce more satisfactory earnings to the railways. Fifth-class traffic was the most important. Comparatively, the territory in the west was the territory of the long haul. Fifth-class rates in the west were higher than in the east because of orders of the railway board and water competition. The fifth-class rate was not the basic rate.

"When did it cease to be?" asked Mr. Symington.

"It never was," retorted Mr. Lanigan.

Ever since Mr. Lanigan had anything to do with freight the first-class rate was the basic rate. He entered the service of the Canadian Pacific in 1884.

Mr. Symington asked why the western rates in Canada were higher than in the Western United States. Mr. Lanigan replied that Canadian rates had been laid down and approved by the board, and before that by the railway committee of the House of Commons.

The basis was justified by results. In the east the railway was serving an industrial country, and in the west an agricultural country. The difference in relationship existed all over the west where there was no water competition to disturb it.

# PLEAD NOT GUILTY OF MAIL ROBBERY

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21.—Herbert R. Cox, jointly indicted with Herbert Wilson for the robbery of a mail truck here on March 3, 1921, pleaded not guilty in the United States District Court here today.

Wilson, who is said to have been a clergyman at one time in his life, and to have occupied pulpits in Oregon and Canada, pleaded not guilty several weeks ago.

Cox is said by federal agents to have made a confession which implicated Wilson. It is understood the confession has not been signed, however, although officials are said to have copies of it.

About $400,000 was said to have been obtained through the robbery of the truck. More than $300,000 has been recovered, federal officials said.

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# SHOULD HONOR MEMORY OF GENERAL WATSON

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—Commenting editorially this morning on the death of Major-General Sir David Watson, of Quebec, The Mail and Empire says:

"Major-General Sir David Watson, who passed away on Saturday night, was one of the most renowned of the soldiers who fought for Canada in the war. The signal honors he received were well deserved. Canadian journalism has its worthies to keep in remembrance, and it is not unmindful of what they have done for the advancement of civil, social and political reform, but it might well now give its thoughts to the question of honoring in a fitting way the memory of the newspapermen who as soldiers in the Great War shed lustre upon their calling. There are many of them. General Sir David Watson was a soldier of whom his fellow-newspapermen may well be proud, for his country is proud of him. He was a true soldier, whose fame will last."

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## ANOTHER REVOLUTION DISTURBS PORTUGAL

MADRID, Feb. 21—President d'Almeida, of Portugal, has ordered strong detachments of troops concentrated between Fort Caxias and Lisbon, according to the newspapers.

(A Lisbon dispatch yesterday said that President d'Almeida and other members of the government had gone to the citadel of Caxias, a short distance outside of Lisbon, as the result of revolutionary threats).

A Reuter's dispatch from Madrid later stated that a revolution had broken out in Portugal, but gave no details.

The Heraldo de Madrid attributes the trouble to biased rumors spread broadcast by adversaries of the republic regime. The left wing of the republican party has issued a manifesto denouncing those responsible for the movement and declaring it can only be put down to foreign intervention.


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| Fresh Hand Rolled Chocolates, per lb. | 35c |
| Pork and Beans (in tomato sauce), ½-lb. tins, 4 for | 25c |
| Savoy Curly Cabbage, per head | 10c |
| Marmalade Oranges (while they last), doz. | 29c |
| Evaporated Apricots, reg. 33c lb.; per lb. | 25c |
| Rich Mild Cheese, per lb. | 24c |
| No. 1 Alberta Butter, 34c; 3 lbs. | 95c |
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# B. C. ELECTRIC HAS GOOD YEAR

### Deputy Chairman Davidson States That Gross Earnings Make High Record—Plea for Transfer of Control

LONDON, Feb. 21. Deputy Chairman Davidson, of the B.C.E.R. Board, presiding at a meting of the Board here today, announced thet the railway's gross earnings for the past year constituted a new high record. This was due, he said, to the steady growth of population and the development of the areas served by the railway. In the year's business freight alone showed a slight setback.

Mr. Davidson, speaking of electric power, said:

"It has become fashionable to represent that, given water power, we have only to turn it into a money earner. That is far from the truth. Many water powers are impossible of development into the production of electric power as cheaply as steam. There are others which if developed at the present time would have no adequate market for years to come, either because the communities within reach are already adequately provided or because of insufficient population to take the quantity of power to make the working costs and interest of the undertaking."

The danger of the water power in Canada being developed too rapidly instead of keeping just ahead of the demand, which had been referred to at a previous meeting of the Board, was emphasized by Mr. Davidson, who said that when asked to provide capital for the development of such power the shareholders should make very sure that the proposed development had a convenient market. He added that the message the company had sent to Vancouver with reference to the question was to the effect that the people there must choose between having these services in the hands of a company able to work with ceaseless and unlimited energy or in the hands of a company which would be crippled by such extension through lack of inducement and a consequent shortage of capital.

If the people chose the former, Mr. Davidson said, they must make it possible to demonstrate to the investors that they could reasonably rely on sufficient income being forthcoming to maintain the present interest and dividends, also 8 per cent on new capital. Vancouver could do this, he said, by supporting an application to have the British Columbia Electric Railway Company transferred from Provincial control to the control of the Railway Commission of Canada, or by simply granting the company the right to charge a 6 cent fare for ten or twelve years

# ROYAL WEDDING PLANS PROGRESS

### Rehearsal of Procession Expected Some Morning This Week—High Church Dignitaries to Tie Marriage Knot

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Plans for the wedding of Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles are nearing completion. Early frequenters of London's streets will see some morning this week empty carriages, escorted by cavalry, in rehearsal of the procession from the Palace to Westminster Abbey, so that nothing may go awry on the all-important day.

There will be two processions on February 28, the day of the wedding. Queen Mary and Queen Mother Alexandra, with their escort and attendents, will form the first, the King following shortly afterward with the bride and an escort.

The route through the Mall, Whitehall and Parliament Street, will not be decorated throughout, but there will be two triumphal arches, and near the Abbey the roadway will be adorned with festoons of flowers, supported by pillars with intermediate ornamental devices bearing portraits of the bride and bridegroom.

Every new detail of the ceremony is displayed by the newspapers and avidly seized upon by the public, which thus learns today that the hat in which the bride will start her honeymoon is of "mole and larkspur blue Georgette," the mole to match her moleskin wrap, and the blue Georgette to match her dress.

Further details are that the marriage knot will be tied by the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Archbishop of York, the Bishop of London, the Bishop of Oxford, the Dean of Westminster, and Canon Lascelles, the bridegroom's uncle.

In social, court and diplomatic circles, such a round of dances and dinners and receptions has been planned as London has not seen since the coronation. For the general public a number of "Princess Mary wedding balls" have been planned.

Hotels and restaurants are arranging dinners and dances. Clubs and various societies will have house warmings and homecomings. The railroads are running special excursions from all parts of the kingdom, and giving special service from the Channel ports for the benefit of continental visitors. Newspapers and magazines are issuing special Princess Mary numbers.


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## WOULD HARMONIZE CHURCH DOCTRINES

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Bearing the signatures of nine diocesan bishops and 18 other church dignitaries, headed by the Bishop of Oxford, a memorial was presented to the Archbishop of Canterbury suggesting the appointment of a commission consisting mainly of comparatively young men representative of all parties in the church, however extreme, to find a basis of doctrine agreement on matters which are the subject of controversy between different sections of the Church of England.

The memorialists declared that it is becoming increasingly clear that the only adequate safeguard against far more serious disruption in the church lay in securing a genuine unity of belief.

The Primate replied that he could not comply with the request, but agreed that their endeavors might usefully be employed in the holding of conferences.

# VOTE TO DECIDE IMPORTANT ISSUE

### National Sinn Fein Convention Meets to Consider Question of Supporting Provisional Government

DUBLIN, Feb. 21.—The extraordinary meeting of the Ard Fheis, the national Sinn Fein convention, supplying an opportunity for revealing the extent to which the Sinn Fein clubs of Ireland are supporting the new provisional government, opened amidst tense excitement in the rotunda of the Mansion House today.

After the delegates who crowded the confines of the meeting room had been seated, a contest developed over the method of taking a vote on the resolutions setting forth the attitude of the convention.

Austen Stack, minister of home affairs in the de Valera cabinet, opposed a secret ballot, saying he saw no reason why the delegates should not publicly declare their sentiment.

On a showing of hands Eamonn de Valera, who presided, declared those in favor of open voting had won their point.

Michael Collins, head of the provisional government, assented to this decision, thus checking objections to the speaker's ruling.

It was finally decided to retain the ballot form of voting, but to make the vote public. The delegates, it was agreed, should write their names on the back of the ballot card.

A motion to vote at 7 p.m. instead of at 8 p.m., as had been proposed, was carried. A motion to vote at 6 p.m. failed, but Kevin O'Shiell moved that the vote on the principal resolution, namely that with regard to the Sinn Fein's future policy for or against the Irish treaty, be taken immediately. He said the majority of the delegates had been instructed by their home clubs how to vote, and, in any case, had definitely made up their minds.

O'Shiell's amendment was defeated. The Ard Fheis decided also that if at 7 p.m. the convention desired to defer the vote and continue the discussion it could do so.

Michael Collins came forward to the platform at this juncture. He received the greatest demonstration of the convention up to this point. He said he favored free and full discussion of the important questions before the convention.

Eamonn de Valera, apparently regarding a split of the Sinn Fein party as inevitable, openly advocated such a division in the convention, saying it would be better for Ireland to have two armies, each ready to assist the other if the country were imperilled, rather than one army divided in itself.

Mr. de Valera's speech was the outstanding feature of the morning session, which had only begun the division of the party's future policy for or against the Anglo-Irish Treaty when the luncheon adjournment was taken at 1.40 p.m. until 3 o'clock.

Speaking to his resolution urging the Sinn Fein party to continue the fight for a republic, Mr. de Valera won hearty applause at numerous points he made in his address.

"I would rather see the country flooded with British troops than give them the irrevocable right to be here," was one of his assertions made in a dramatic manner, which was loudly cheered.

"Ireland," he declared later on, "is entitled to the dignity of a mother country, and I will never consent to make her the illegitimate daughter of England."

Again, he said: "My position is the same as when I was made president of this organization, when I said, 'Our colors are nailed to the mast.' What I said then I meant."

Mr. de Valera appealed for harmony between the divisions if a break-up should occur, saying he and Arthur Griffith always had been colleagues and would continue so.

Most of the morning session was taken up with making arrangements for a vote.

## CHATEAUGUAY NOTARY IS HEAVY DEFAULTER

MONTREAL, Feb. 21.—Fortunat Laberge, notary of Chateauguay, secretary-treasurer of the town council, secretary-treasurer of the school commission and private trustee of the entire fortunes of a hundred farmers, widows and orphans, all of whom fear they have been mulcted of some $500,000, is still missing, but strangest of all is the fact that while they hold him responsible for their losses, nobody has made any move to discover his whereabouts, or sworn out the complaint necessary to secure a warrant for his arrest.

The missing notary is alleged to have misappropriated approximately half a million dollars.

**New Zealand Company Loses**

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The law lords have dismissed the appeal of the New Zealand Shipping Company against the surveyor of taxes on the question whether the company is assessable for a British income tax on the whole value of its profits in both New Zealand and the United Kingdom.

# HON. MR. PATTULLO DESCRIBES NORTHLAND

### Members of Acmy and Young Men's Clubs Hear Minister of Lands on Opportunities of North

That the resources of Northern British Columbia are limitless and afford a field of unequalled opportunity to the young men of the Province was the message given by the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, last evening, at the joint gathering of the Acmy Club and the Young Men's Club of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Mr. Pattullo had been invited to address the gathering on the subject of Northern British Columbia and its opportunities for the young men. He said that the common conception of that part of the Province known as Northern British Columbia was that it was the section along the line of the Grand Trunk Railway. It is not generally known, he said, that this railway line is nearer to the southern border of the Province than it is to the northern limit, and that there is a vast portion of country north of the railway which is capable of developing into a most valuable and productive part of the Province.

**Salubrious Climate**

It is not generally known, Mr. Pattullo continued, that Vladivostok is south of Prince Rupert, and that it is also in a more southerly latitude than is Victoria. And yet the climate of Prince Rupert is very similar to that of Victoria, there being only two or three degrees difference in climatic conditions. The reason for this is that at Vladivostok they get the cold currents from the Arctic, while at Prince Rupert they get the warm current from the Pacific. In Northern British Columbia they enjoy a salubrious climate, nothing as severe as that of the Northwest States or the Northwest Territories.

Mr. Pattullo declared that vegetables of the finest quality and variety can be raised in the Yukon, and that there are people who are making their living by farming there and exporting potatoes to the American side.

In enumerating the varied resources of the northern part of the Province, Mr. Pattullo pointed out that the fishing industry at Prince Rupert included half of the whole halibut fishery of the Northwest Pacific Coast. There are four hundred halibut boats plying their trade out of Prince Rupert. This is one of the reasons why that city is so prosperous while other parts of the country are suffering from money stringency. Prince Rupert maintains itself in splendid fashion because of its wonderful halibut fisheries. There is also the salmon fisheries there, which materially aid its prosperity. Most of the halibut caught off the coast of Northern British Columbia are packed in ice and shipped to the United States, some of it going as far east as New York and Chicago.

**Island Fisheries**

Speaking of the wonders of the inland water fisheries, Mr. Pattullo said that at Stuart Lake he had seen twelve sturgeon caught by one man, the largest of them weighing 750 pounds.

Another resource referred to was that of mining, and Mr. Pattullo stated that Prince Rupert was in the centre of one of the most highly mineralized belts in British Columbia. He mentioned such mines in the northern country as the Granby mine at Anyox, and the Premier mine at Stewart, both of which are now famous. Copper, iron ore and coal are to be found there in vast quantities, and at present the Provincial Government is carrying on drilling operations for oil in the Peace River sections of the Province. At Copper River a large body of iron ore is already in sight, he said.

There is another wonderful resource still, said the speaker, and that is timber. Some splendid spruce lumber is produced by the mills now in operation in the northern parts of the Province, and two large paper and pulp mills are operating. At Ocean Falls a large paper and pulp mill now maintains a population of around 2,500 people. Other plants are contemplated at Prince Rupert and Prince George.

It is not generally supposed, declared Mr. Pattullo, that agriculture will be one of the most valuable resources of this northern country, but it is a fact that there are to be found there some of the best mixed farming sections of country anywhere in the Province. The country is heavily timbered, but the soil is of the most productive variety in Canada. Of course, just at this juncture, Mr. Pattullo said, the great difficulty is the question of transportation. But already there are some fine farming communities settled, and the land around Stuart Lake has been fixed upon for settlement on a large scale.

**Needs Population**

The one great need of this wonderful northern country, where there are fish in the sea, minerals in the mountains, timber on the hills, and fertility in the soil, is population, Mr. Pattullo said. In order to carry out the development of this wonderful heritage people must be found to populate the country. The possibilities for the young man there are unlimited, and if a young man is not settled here in the line of work he wants to make his life work, he could not do better than to embrace the wonderful opportunity which awaits him in Northern British Columbia. It has been said, "Young man, go West," Mr. Pattullo said, but he would say to the young man who is looking for openings and possibilities, "Young men, go North."

Mr. Pattullo spoke eloquently of the fascination of the North country. "It will get you somehow. There is an attraction about it which cannot be expressed, but which can only be felt," he said. "There is a soul communion there under the canopy of heaven and amid the great silence, which you cannot get in the city." He declared that if he was "stoney broke today" he would rather be on an open, unimproved quarter section up north than standing on a street corner in Victoria.

The gathering was presided over by Mr. Harold B. MacDonald, president of the Acmy Club, who introduced the speaker in a short and effective speech. The address of Hon. Mr. Pattullo was preceded by the usual monthly dinner.

**Price of Flour Raised**

CALGARY, Feb. 21.—Following an advance of seven cents per bushel on wheat at elevator points in Alberta yesterday, the price of flour was raised fifty cents per 196-pound barrel, bringing the wholesale price to $8.10. Bakers announce that, although flour has advanced over $1 since they reduced the price of bread, having contracted ahead for flour, they will maintain present prices.


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## CONVERSION LOAN HAS POPULAR FAVOR

LONDON, Feb. 21.—An outstanding feature of the Government's new offer to holders of the 5 per cent conversion loan is that the terms virtually express the price for the latter above, instead of below, the current market price, as is usually the case. Nevertheless, it is believed the proposal is regarded favorably, owing to the manifest tendency for investment stocks to rise.

Under the proposed conversion the terms of the interest yield will be 4¾ per cent.

**Prominent Quebec Man Dies**

THETFORD MINES, Que., Feb. 21.—The death occurred here last night of Hon. George Robert Smith, member of the Legislative Council, Victoria division. He was 62 years old. He was one of the founders of the Canadian Mining Institute and at one time was its president.

You who have raised a family know how hard it is to find an effective yet safe constipation medicine for a baby. Mr. J. H. Smith, of the Saskatoon, Sask., Post Office was worried and perplexed over his grandchild. He gave the little one Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin, and the child is now well and happy.

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## THE EXHIBITION

After giving the matter their most mature after-consideration and sleeping upon it for several nights, the City Council has decided that the Agricultural Association, which conducts the annual Fall Fair in Victoria, shall have its customary grant of $5,000. The decision is to be highly commended, because the exhibition is in process of establishment, and to permit it to lapse for one season would render the task of re-establishment all the more difficult and expensive.

We are presuming, of course that it is the manifest intention of the public to maintain the fair permanently as one of the city's institutions, regarding it as one of the annual features that will increase in importance with the development of the city and of the surrounding districts. The Mayor, who opposed the grant to the fair, in a manner seemed to deprecate its value to the community, hinting that maintenance of educational institutions upon a high plane was of vastly more importance than perpetuation of any fair. A good deal depends upon the point of view in such matters and upon what is considered of value in the matter of education. Many will hold that the educational features of a well-conducted industrial and agricultural exhibition are of considerable value to any community. Some would not hesitate to place them in the balance and weigh them against the accomplishments of certain academic institutions.

Doubtless the next controversy that will arise in connection with the annual fair will rage around the question of horse racing. The directors of the Agricultural Association are not keen admirers of the conditions under which horse races are conducted in this country; but they are confronted with a condition that all people of common sense realize: Horse racing is the cheapest attraction that can be provided for the people at such annual gatherings and there is no question as to its popularity with the multitude. But the question of whether horse racing is economically advantageous to a community also is worthy of the most serious consideration. The Victoria business community on the whole seems to be hostile to race meetings, and such opinion is certainly worthy of the most serious consideration of the directors of the association.

The fair management therefore has a delicate problem on its hands. It has made the exhibition a distinct financial and educational success during recent years, and therefore is anxious that there shall be no break in the chain during the present year.

## VAIN SPECULATIONS

The logical processes of certain speculative political philosophers are as mysterious and uncontrollable as vagrant currents of electricity. A convention of the Workers' Party of Canada is being held in Toronto, to which one Jack Kavanagh of Vancouver is a delegate. The aim of the Workers' Party, it appears, is to overthrow the bourgeoise and replace it by the proletariat class, and Mr. Kavanagh told the convention he is attending as a delegate from British Columbia that his party looked to Russia for inspiration and encouragement in its work.

If there is anything inspiring in the circumstances of Russia today, anything that any nation, whether ruled by proletariat, democrat or aristocrat, could emulate with advantage, then the stories that are being sent out from that country are but the fantastic imaginings of diseased minds. The conditions there appear to be worse than they were in France during the period of the great revolution. The inhabitants of France suffered great privations, and the offences of the revolutionary leaders were of the grossest nature, were really akin to the actions of beasts than of human beings; but the afflictions of the French were mild in the extreme compared with the trials of the masses of the Russian people under the Bolshevist regime—and Bolshevism is closely akin to communism. The whole of the physical being of that great country seems to be suffering from a species of paralysis, just as though a great cold hand had been laid on the heart of the nation and had deprived it of all initiative and energy and disposition to help itself. Sir Philip Gibbs and other authorities on abstractions are telling the world that the only way to general economic and political salvation is to stretch forth a hand and set Russia upon her feet. That can never be done until the Russian people assert themselves and give evidence of a desire to work out their own salvation. All that the outside world can do at present is feed as many as possible of the hungry, relieving to some extent the hardship that must prevail throughout the remainer of the Winter.

We are glad to have the authority of Mr. Kavanagh, who looks to Russia for hope and inspiration, that Canada is the least revolutionary of any country in the world, and therefore it may be assumed that there must be a considerable period of time efore the fields shall be ripe for a communistic harvest.

## "SELF-DETERMINATION"

Former President Wilson doubtless meant well by the world, but it is a question whether he did it a good turn when he compounded that much misapplied word "self-determination." Misapprehension of the term has occasioned a great deal of political unrest, has been responsible for the loss of many lives, and has materially retarded the return of the world to normal conditions.

Certain elements of the Irish people are appealing to the principle of self-determination as a reason for their opposition to a measure of home rule, which appears to be acceptable to a great majority of the people of the country. An opportunity has arisen to sink in oblivion the accumulated misunderstandings of centuries, for a permanent solution of one of the greatest problems of statesmanship, and the whole scheme may be wrecked because of misinterpretation of one word. There is, however, substantial ground for a belief that the designs of de Valera and his followers may be circumvented and peace be maintained in Ireland.

Misapprehension of the meaning of the term in question certainly has increased materially the responsibilities and difficulties of British statesmen. Absolute tranquility does not prevail in India or in Egypt. There are problems to be solved there which will tax the ingenuity and the resourcefulness of the public men of Great Britain. The fact of the matter is that if the principle of self-determination were applied literally and logically, in accordance with the ambitions of some of those who appeal to it, most of the existing nations of the would would be divided up into their original primitive tribes. Mr. Wilson always realized that there must be limitations to the application of the general principle he laid down; but too many of those who have seized upon his words are incapable by reason of inherited or recently-created prejudices of appreciating his point of view.

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The late Mr. John T. Hawke, editor and proprietor of The Moncton (N.B.) Transcript, was a journalist of the old school and a man of absolute integrity and great ability. He came to Canada from England while a young man, and brought with him some of the radical theories prevailing in the Old Country at the time and which apparently have not lost strength since. While acting as a reporter for one of the Toronto newspapers, Mr. Hawke came into conflict with the judiciary, although the courts there were not so much noted for their prejudices against the press as they were in the Province of British Columbia. Later Mr. Hawke's fighting proclivities were employed in the political arena of New Brunswick, where party feeling always has run high.

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Dr. Baker, former head of the Provincial Game Board, and who ought to be reinstated in his office if the findings of the commission which investigated his case are acceptable to the Government, has been acquitted of all wrong doing in connection with the administration of the game department. The judgment of the commissioner, however, is not generally commended by persons who heard the evidence given by some of the witnesses.

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The price of wheat, like the value of the Canadian dollar, recently has risen quite rapidly. It is estimated that the increase in the price of wheat represents at least twenty million dollars to the farmers of the Prairies. But some disgusted graingrower probably will point out that the increase in the value of his commodity came at a time when most of the crop had passed out of the hands of the farmers.

## LOOKS FOR EXTENSIVE USE OF WIRELESS

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—Addressing the Canadian Club here yesterday, A. H. Morse, general manager of the Marconi Company, said he would be greatly disappointed if, within the next two years, there would be no direct wireless communication between Montreal, London, Vancouver and Melbourne.

Mr. Morse said a wireless or electro-magnetic wave passed around the earth in a little less than one-seventh of a second. There was no need, he said, for any point of the earth to be out of immediate telegraphic touch with any other point. Transmission of power by wireless, though, was not yet a commercial success.

### Killed by Corset Stay

GENEVA, Feb. 21.—A whalebone corset stay caused the death recently of a Zurich young woman while skiing. She was making a steep descent with a party of friends when she fell over a ledge, landing 20 feet below in deep snow. Her companions on reaching her found the bone had pierced her. This is the second incident of the kind in Switzerland this year.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

### Aesop and Progress

Sir,—Your editorial in Friday's issue advocating the uniting of the adjoining municipalities into a greater Victoria reminds me of a story told by one Aesop quite a few years ago, in which a fox got into a well or hole, I forget which, and could not get out, the fox persuaded a passing goat that the position he was in was so fine that the goat should share it.

The goat got in and when he did Mr. Fox jumped out, using the goat's back as a springboard and as far as I know the goat is still in the hole.

I however think Mr. Editor that it will be some time before the municipality of Oak Bay joins the genus capra.

HERBERT CARMICHAEL.
Oak Bay, B. C., Feb. 18, 1922.

### Moral Standards

Sir,—Rev. W. Leslie Clay in his most commendable eulogy of an editorial appearing in The Colonist of the 12th ultimo and in quotation from an address by Dr. Schofield also quoted from the same Colonist editorial as follows: "A nation can only live with an ideal before it. They must therefore restore that ideal to the children by teaching them the fear of God and the truths of religion."

The function of a newspaper in view, the statement again herein quoted is far-reaching indeed and if not carried to its logical conclusion falls short of the truth, becoming a retardant of truth. The following is therefore submitted: The "fear of God" is but the beginning of wisdom. "A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another." An old commandment from the beginning and only new "because the darkness is past and the true light now shineth."

Second Tim., 1:7. "For God hath not given us the spirit of fear but of power and of love and of a sound mind." 1st. John 4:16-18 "God is love and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him. Herein is our love made perfect that we may have boldness in the day of judgment: because as he is, so are we in this world. There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear; because fear hath torments. He that feareth is not made perfect in love."

W. J. LEDINGHAM.
2713 Rock Bay Avenue, Victoria, B.C., February 18, 1922.

### Vancouver Island Development

Sir,—Many views have appeared in the press advocating the establishment of an amusement centre in Victoria to attract and retain our visitors. But no definite concentration or advance has been made. Is not the gateway to development of the Island's resources through her waters and the offering of what may be necessary to induce visitors to enter them? The press informs us that California yachtsmen advocate holding the North Pacific Annual International Regatta at Victoria, next Summer, and have made a bid for some encouragement to attend. Our Chamber of Commerce is apparently willing to assist our Yacht Club. Therefore this opportunity should be taken advantage of and followed up, with all the energy and concentration necessary to attract a wealthy class of visitors to our city, many of whom, would likely be allured by the scenic beauty of Uplands, and decide to make it their home. With new blood, energy and capital the development of Vancouver Island by private enterprise would follow as a natural sequence.

GRANVILLE CUPPAGE.
76 Menzies Street, Victoria, B. C., Feb. 18, 1922.

## BRITISH-AMERICAN LEAGUE IS GROWING

### Post Is Organized in Vancouver With Over 100 Members—Sir Charles H. Tupper Is Elected President

The British-American League, which was organized in Victoria last Summer to promote good feeling between the British Empire and the United States, was launched under favorable auspices in Vancouver on Monday night.

Mr. George Bell and Mr. Harry Charlesworth, members of the Victoria post, returned yesterday from Vancouver, where they attended the organization meeting, and stated that the enthusiasm shown by the membership is a happy augury of success.

Bishop DuPencier was elected honorary president, and Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K.C., president. The vice-presidents are Mr. Lukin Johnston and Magistrate Alex. Shaw. Dean Coleman and Mr. H. H. Stevens, M.P., have pledged their full support in the league's plans for expansion.

Mr. Clarence Darling was elected secretary.

There are already 100 members of the league in Vancouver.

Mr. George Bell and Mr. J. O. Cameron will leave for Seattle in the near future to organize a post of the league there.

The Vancouver Province said editorially a few days ago:

"Leading statesmen in all the Dominions are convinced that the surest guarantee for the peace of the world lies in drawing ever closer the ties which bind the United States and the British Empire.

"Any organization which has this work for its object and which aims to combat by the dissemination of sound doctrine and truth the poisonous propaganda of those who would create suspicion and friction between Canada and our neighbors to the south, must have the most cordial support of the community. There has been formed recently in Vancouver a branch of the British-American League, an organization which originated in Victoria."

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The Montana national bison range contains over 18,000 acres

## VETERANS MAY JOIN CANADIAN LEGION

### Amalgamated Body Will Make Inquiries Regarding Status of Legion—Considers Vacant Lot Cultivation Plan

The Amalgamated Veterans' Association last night went on record as viewing with favor the proposal to join the Canadian Legion and instructed the executive council of the organization to obtain all possible information as to the present position of the Legion and as to what steps must be taken to constitute this body a branch of the Legion, with a view to immediate action.

This decision was reached on the motion of Comrade Leighton, after the question of affiliating with the Canadian Legion and securing a sub-charter from that body was fully gone into. Secretary Thorpe read a wire from Ottawa, which confirmed the report that the Legion had obtained a Dominion Charter. Comrade E. A. Kidner pointed out that the Amalgamated Veterans is only another ex-service body in the city, and urged that the organization secure a Dominion status so that it can have adequate representation on the recently formed Dominion Veterans' Alliance.

Comrade H. Despard Twigg strongly opposed the suggestion that the Amalgamated Veterans' Association apply for a sub-charter in the Legion. He contended that the Legion was not in a position to take the local body into its fold, and suggested that the veterans seek further information about the Canadian Legion before joining it. The resolution which empowered the executive to gather more intelligence concerning the Legion carried by a large majority over the plan to obtain a sub-charter in that body.

### Vacant Lot Cultivation

A scheme looking toward the abatement of unemployment was put forward by Comrade W. F. Godwin, who advocated the cultivation of vacant lots as a plan whereby men may be given work and persons assisted to get back on the land. A letter was read from the Provincial Minister of Agriculture, who said that in the event of practical application being made of these suggestions for assisting the unemployed, the Department would be ready to give advice in the matter of crops proposed to be grown and the methods of cultivation that would assist those who are not practical farmers or gardeners.

Communications were read from the Victoria Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club promising to give the proposals re lot cultivation prompt consideration. A committee composed of Comrades Godwin, Claire and Leighton was appointed to meet the various service clubs of the city and other interested bodies and see how much assistance in the matter could be secured from them.

### Unemployment Report

A report of the Unemployment Committee was presented by Comrade Kidner. It showed that since December, 26, 1921, the organization had secured employment of all kinds for 324 ex-service men. Mr. Kidner pointed out that efforts were being made to have the Provincial Government put the Island Highway in a state of repair this coming Summer, and thereby provide employment for some of the workless of the city. Efforts are also being made to have the civic authorities take steps to improve Foul Bay beach. The meeting was also informed that the Federal Department of Customs and Excise had decided that no patrol boat service for checking smuggling would be instituted here in the near future.

Comrades Howden, Campbell and Leighton were appointed a committee to consider schemes for solving the unemployment problem which members of the organization from time to time submit at the regular meetings.

The action of the Housing Committee in securing new quarters for the association in the P. Burns Block, Douglas Street, was warmly approved. Comrade Edwards, the chairman, stated that the following veterans had been awarded the tenders for preparing the new premises: Electrical work, Veterans' Electric Company; plumbing, Mr. W. Marsh; plastering, Mr. S. J. Hughes; and painting, Veterans' Painting Company. He said that it is hoped to hold the housewarming in the new quarters on Saturday, March 4.

### Victoria Press Thanked

On the motion of Comrades Mooney and Twigg, a hearty vote of appreciation for the splendid reports of the organization's meetings was accorded the press of the city.

The applications of 20 new members were received. Secretary Thorpe declared that the membership of the Amalgamated Association was now about 780.

The Sick Committee's report was presented by Comrade Stewart, who said that the number of patients in the hospitals was not so great now. He pointed out that more magazines were required and would be greatly appreciated.

The secretary announced that a meeting of all naval members of the organization will be held on Thursday, February 23, in 127 Pemberton Block, at 8 o'clock.

## LURE OF THE HEIGHTS

W., in Montreal Star.

Owing to the abnormal weather conditions that prevailed in Switzerland last Summer several bodies have been released from their snowy sepulchres in the Alps. Among them is the body of Lord Francis Douglas.

Three or four lines in a British newspaper recall the day of the giants of Alpine climbing, the age of Whymper and Conway and "such great names as these." For over fifty years the body of Lord Francis Douglas must have lain below the gaunt precipices of the Matterhorn, the heights that for so long challenged the vanturings of mountaineers before the day that saw victory and death separated by but one brief hour. Seven times Edward Whymper essayed the task without success. Seven times the bleak forbidding aspect frowned and mocked him, until one day in July, 1865, when triumph and tragedy linked hand in hand to meet him.

A little party of seven set out on a cloudless morning from the mountain village, making their way along the ridge to the base of the mountain peak—I wonder whether Georges Lecierc and Hugo LeMesurier and Hig and Little Pierre, who scaled the heights so nimbly in the early nineties and told visitors the tale of the tragedy are still alive. Then there was the night spent within four thousand feet of the summit, the careful climb in the early morning hours without serious difficulty, the rising hopes and the exhilarating expectation of success, the triumphant signals of the Italian party in friendly rivalry bent on reaching the summit before their international rivals, and at last the tent pole with the guide's blouse for flag planted on the hitherto virgin snow, the hour of keen enjoyment in the sunny calm and then the descent.

### The Awful Avalanche

Slowly and cautiously the little party proceeds, all roped and only one man moving at a time, at the word of command of the leader. A sudden slip—the horror in old Pierre's eyes as he recorded the awfulness of the tragedy, still lives in memory—two men are off their feet and they are sliding down and down. A third is dragged to the awful avalanche, and a fourth finds his feet lifted from the glassy steps he had cut in the ice.

"Stand" is the solitary word of command that is rapped out by the leader and it is echoed and re-echoed in that cold crisp air. It is enough. The three remaining brace themselves for that awful tug of war with death. The strain on the rope is terrible, there is a sudden jerk. A parted rope. Death in the inaccessible wilds of snow and ice below has summoned four brave hearts as four bodies go tumbling over the precipice edge and leave behind the sorrowful terror of three friends.

And so the traditional inaccessibility of the Matterhorn was vanquished and was replaced by legends of a more real character. Others have later essayed to scale the proud cliffs but to none could it be the same mountain that it was to Edward Whymper and his party. Success took years to come and at last was conquered with an ease that none could have anticipated, and like a relentless enemy, conquered but not crushed, the mountain took a terrible toll of its victors.

### Not Everlasting

"Mountains are to the rest of the body of the earth" Ruskin wrote, in a youthful day when such things fired his imagination "what violent muscular action is to the body of man. The muscles and tendons of its anatomy are, in the mountain, brought out with force and convulsive energy full of expression, passion, and strength; the plains and the lower hills are the repose and the effortless motion of the frame, when its muscles lie dormant and concealed beneath the lines of its beauty—yet ruling those lines in their every undulation. This then is the first grand principle of the truth of the earth. The spirit of the hills is action, that of the lowlands repose; and between these there is to be found every variety of motion and rest, from the inactive plain, sleeping like the firmament with cities for stars, to the fiery peaks, which, with heaving bosoms and exultant limbs, with the clouds drifting like hair from their bright foreheads, lift up their Titan heads to heaven, saying, 'I live for ever.'"

They do not really live for ever. Atom by atom and molecule by molecule they yield to forces that the hardest granite cannot for ever withstand. The expedition towards Mount Everest's summit this Summer reports vast levellings of the lower hills of the Himalayas, though the gigantic peaks of the main ridge stand without evident scar. Some day they must feel the disintegration of weathering and bow their proud heads. Yet compared with other earthly scenes these giant mountains are in truth the everlasting hills. Earlier generations saw them as we do in all the majesty of their contour. The rocky summits are stepping stones across the ages. We can tread those tops and walk again with the little party of the tragedy of the Matterhorn.

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SYDNEY, N.S.W., Feb. 21.—It was reported here yesterday that plans are maturing for a world-wide co-operative wheat marketing organization which eventually will control the American, Canadian and Australian crops. Mr. Trathowan, chairman of the voluntary wheat pool, is proceeding to London and thence to Canada and the United States to consult with the wheat organizations in those countries concerning the plan.


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## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 22, 1872)

The Canadian Cabinet—The Canadian Ministry have finally decided not to admit a member from British Columbia, or one from Manitoba, into the Cabinet until after the general elections next Fall are over and the result is known.

The Road Steamers—The bark Lady Lampson was drawn under the shears yesterday to take on board the road steamers, which are consigned to London.

One Member Short—By the departure of the senior member for Victoria District, the Island is one member short. His constituency ought to demand his resignation, and fill up the vacancy.

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# PRESENTATION TO REV. DR. MACLEAN

## Meeting of Congregation of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Bids Minister Farewell—Fellow Ministers Speak

A presentation on behalf of the congregation was made to the departing minister, Rev. H. N. Maclean, at a gathering of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church on Monday evening.

There was a large attendance at the meeting, which was presided over by Mr. Donald Fraser, senior elder of the church. The gift of the congregation was a suitcase, the presentation being made by Mr. John Ross, one of the elders. An address signed by the heads of the departments of the church, was read by Mr. George McCandless, clerk of session.

Addresses were delivered by Rev. Joseph McCoy, Rev. Dr. Campbell, Rev. T. Menzies, M.P.P.; Rev. W. L. MacRae, Rev. David McLaren, Rev. D. Walker and Rev. J. F. Dimmick. Rev. Dr. Maclean replied in fitting terms.

Vocal solos were rendered by Miss McGowan, Mr. Munro and Miss McLaughlin, with Mrs. J. Cotaford accompanying.

The meeting opened with the doxology and closed with the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Following this refreshments were served by the ladies of the church.

Regrets of absence were received from Rev. Leslie Clay, LL.D.; Rev. T. McConnell and Rev. R. Connell.

### Gold in Austrian Alps

GENEVA, Feb. 21.—A Swiss engineer, Charles Impoff, has discovered a gold mine in the Austrian Alps near Grossglockner, it was reported here today. The mine is said to have a daily yield of 100 grammes of gold.

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# LINDEBERG ARRESTED IN SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Jafet Lindeberg, capitalist, was arrested today on an extradition warrant in connection with his indictment in Tacoma on a charge of illegally diverting the funds of the defunct Scandinavian-American Bank, in which he was an officer. He was released later on a writ of habeas corpus, which was made returnable February 23. His bond was placed at $1,000.

The arresting officers found Lindeberg ill in bed with influenza, and were forbidden by his physician to take him away.

# COUNCIL FIXES DUE DATE FOR 1922 TAX

## Public Works Committee Arranges for Immediate Revaluation of Property Following Street Improvement

The due date for payment of taxes this year without 8 per cent penalty will be October 31, the City Council decided Monday night.

People living on streets that are improved by the city this year may find taxes slightly higher next year because of an arrangement made by the Public Works Committee with the City Assessor.

Ald. Todd stated last night that at the end of each month the City Engineer would report to the Assessor on the improvements carried out, and the Assessor would make a re-valuation on that basis.

The committee submitted a new list of prices at which reverted house property may be bought and this will be sent to real estate agents. The prices range from $900 to $11,000.

Property containing store buildings is being reserved and will be dealt with in a report to be submitted next week.

Mayor Marchant suggested a vigorous propaganda campaign on the prairies with the object of stimulating sales.

"We haven't overlooked that, but money is scarce on the prairies just now," said Ald. Todd. "We propose an advertising campaign later."

### Killed by Horse's Kick

REGINA, Feb. 21.—Rev. Thomas Oliver, pastor of the Union Church at Carievale, Sask., was kicked by a horse Sunday and died today. He was harnessing the horse when injured.

# ESTIMATES SHOW WHERE TAXES GO

## Preliminary Appropriations Awaiting Approval of Council Are $227,000 Less Than Last Year's Initial Figures

Some idea of where the money paid into the city treasury in the form of taxes and other revenue finally goes is shown by the preliminary estimates that have just been prepared by City Comptroller James L. Raymur, following the submission of budgets from various City Hall department heads.

By the time the Estimates Committee gets through with the estimates as they appear at present they may have been changed beyond recognition, but usually the preliminary list gives a fairly good indication of the manner in which the city will apportion its expenditure. The first meeting of the Estimates Committee will be held on Friday afternoon.

Last year's estimates amounted to $2,277,245. This year the total put down is $2,534,570. Although the biggest item is debt, $578,719, as compared with $552,903 in 1921, the cost of education is the largest single factor in current costs, being $576,604, according to the list just ratified by the School Board, an increase of about $7,000 over the preliminary figure of last year. The Board of Health, owing to the influenza epidemic, had an unusually heavy bill last year, nearly $50,000. Less than half that much is set aside this year for that account. The Works Department, largely as a result of new projects undertaken, will cost $350,451, as compared with $286,149 last year. All other departments are about the same. A feature of the 1922 estimates is that they will include $100,000 for relief work. In past years no allowance was made under that heading, the costs being borne by contingent funds.

### Tentative Figures

Subject to revision by the City Council, the main items in the estimates are summarized as follows:

Debt, $578,719; municipal council, $7,000; legal department, $14,920; civic salaries $42,280; city institutions, $398,781; buildings, $4,900; miscellaneous, $103,900; education, $576,604; board of health, $20,120; hospitals, $31,500; works department, $350,451; waterworks, $280,334; sewers rental and tax fund, $25,258; relief work, $100,000; total, $2,534,570.

The debt is made up of the following items: Interest, $212,354; annual payment to sinking fund, $52,032.82; sinking fund, local improvement, $133,067; serial debentures, $81,764, repayment of debt, $24,000; brokerage and exchange, $25,000; interest under Annual Loan By-law, $50,000.

The Municipal Council expenditure comprises $3,000 salary for the Mayor and $4,000 for the ten aldermen at $33.33 per month.

Legal department—City solicitor, twelve months at $300, $3,600; stenographer, at $110 a month, $1,320; legal expenses and maintenance of office, $10,000.

Civic salaries—Treasury, $31,970; city clerk's office, $4,800; assessor's office, $3,570; wiring inspector, $1,500; weights and measures, $440; comptroller, $3,000; treasurer and collector, $2,400; accountant, $2,100; cashier, $1,782; tax clerk, $1,650; paymaster, $1,560; collector of road tax, etc., $1,320; licence collector, $1,320; auditor, $1,800; clerks, janitors, etc.; city clerk, $2,400; clerks, secretaries, etc., assessor, $1,920; assistant, $1,650.

City Institutions—Store, $3,085; cemetery, $6,260; parks, $29,166; pound, 2,350; police, $106,120; fire department, $154,387; street lighting, $50,906; library, $28,075; public market, $4,068; Home for Aged and Infirm, $14,364.

By far the largest appropriation for parks suggested in the estimates is for Beacon Hill, which will get $12,250, as the estimates now stand. The next highest is the Gorge, with $2,500.

The higher police salaries follow: Magistrate, $3,000; prosecutor, $2,100; chief of police, $2,640; sergeant inspector, $2,040; sergeant detectives, $1,980. The salary bill of twenty-five constables at $135 a month totals $40,500. In addition are sergeants, patrol drivers, special constables, clerks. Motor patrol and upkeep is set down as costing $3,000, the biggest single maintenance cost, with the exception of clothing, to cost $3,200.

Principal salaries in the Fire Department—Chief, $2,760; deputy chief, $2,070; two captains, at $1,800; ten lieutenants, $17,160; three engineers, $5,148; thirty-nine firemen at $132 a month $61,776. Clothing is billed as $3,500; rental of hydrants at $29,160, repairs to apparatus, $2,250. Maintenance costs, total, $47,072.

The street lighting superintendent gets $250 a month. The total cost of his department is $15,456, so far as personnel is concerned. Maintenance is set at $35,450.

The Library, headed by a librarian receiving $210 a month, with two department heads at $115, has a salary list totalling $14,160, and maintenance put down at $10,200.

Education—Teachers salaries, $362,657; Board of School Trustees, $120,822; interest, $57,616; sinking fund, $35,809.

The total appropriation suggested for the Board of Health is $20,120. The principal salaries are $3,900 for the medical health officer, and $1,800 for sanitary inspector.

Hospitals—Thirty-one thousand dollars is set aside for the care of indigent patients, pay patients and isolation hospital at the Jubilee Hospital and Tranquille Sanitarium.

Works Department—The city engineer is put down as receiving $3,600; the assistant engineer and surveyor, $1,920, the total salaries for the engineer's office being $15,706.

### Johnson Street Paving

Streets, bridges and sidewalks claim $113,900 in the estimates. The biggest single item is $30,000 set for the paving of Johnson Street on the Reserve. Other items are: Paving of Esquimalt Road and Alston Street, $15,000; resurfacing part of Hillside Avenue, $11,500; paving part of Shelburne Street, $16,000; road oiling and sanding, $11,700; asphalt repairs, $6,000; new plank walks and sidewalks, $6,000; sea wall repairs, $1,500, a total, including other lesser items, of $113,900.

Sanitary Works—Some of the principal headings follow: Garbage cans, $5,000; removal of garbage, $41,153; labor and material for street cleaning, $33,000; sewerage repairs and maintenance, $31,350; sewer and surface drain construction, $10,000; plant, $5,000; boulevard maintenance, $1,650; maintenance of Elk Lake Farm, $4,000.

Waterworks — Salaries, $18,834; maintenance, $31,000; construction, $21,000; Humpback overflow, $18,000; interest, $167,636; sinking fund, $26,431; repaymept of debt, $15,647, a total of $280,134.

# CHAMBER URGES CUT IN LUMBER RATES

Besides commending their action in respect to their general agitation before the Railway Board in Ottawa for reduced freight rates, the Chamber of Commerce yesterday forwarded to Premier John Oliver and Mr. G. G. McGeer, K.C., special counsel, the following telegram regarding the arbitrary rates charged on lumber shipments from Vancouver Island:

"Re decision of commission denying application for revocation of the two notes arbitrary on lumber shipments from Vancouver Island. Commission appears to ground decision on refusal to agree with Mr. McGeer's argument that rates from Port Angeles should be considered as controlling factor. Those cases were cited mainly as argument. Commission ignored argument that railway furnishes similar service both as to rail and water haul in Kootenay District absorbing differential, giving same rates as Nelson. We contend this is supplying large and full service to one section without extra charge, while the two cents per hundred is charged against Vancouver Island lumber. The extra service rendered in both cases being approximately identical. This is a discrimination against the Island, and should be called to attention of the commission."

## OBITUARY NOTICES

ELLIOTT—The remains of the late Mrs. Jeanette Bruce Elliott, whose death occurred on Saturday, February 18, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon, the cortege proceeding from the Thomson Funeral Home at 2.30 o'clock, and 15 minutes later service was held at the Emmanuel Baptist Church. The Rev. William Stevenson, assisted by the Rev. Jos. McCoy, officiated. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages," and "Peace, Perfect Peace." There was an unusually large attendance of sympathizing friends at the service. The casket was covered with a profusion of floral tributes, testifying to the high esteem in which the late Mrs. Elliott was held. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. Hall, D. Francis, E. J. Rigby, J. R. Clements, J. Shampeney, W. J. Chave. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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# PLAN BIG CUT IN PROPERTY VALUES

## Court of Equalization, Concluding Sessions Today, Expected to Cut Assessments to $40,000,000

Six million dollars will probably be wiped off the real property assessment list in Victoria by the time the Court of Equalization completes its work today.

The court was in session yesterday afternoon and authorized some heavy reductions in alleged semi-business property. Last year the total assessment was approximately $46,000,000.

The assessments on improvements are fixed at $27,000,000 at present.

The Finance Committee has not yet completed the preparation of the report on the alleged sinking fund diversion, although the task has now occupied considerably more than a month.

Ald. Woodward, chairman of the committee, has been confined to his home with a severe cold, and other members of the committee have been reluctant to proceed with the report during his absence.

The whole of the City Council, as Estimates Committee to deal with the year's appropriations, will get down to business this week, and all the various plans for increasing revenue will then be trotted out to be put to the vote test. Ald. Joseph Patrick announced definitely that he will introduce a resolution to tax improvements as soon as consideration of estimates gets well under way.

# CAMPUS FOR HIGH SCHOOL IS URGED

## Board of Trustees Approves Plans Prepared by Mr. Earl Clark—Will Not Necessitate Garbage Dumping

Holding that the dumping of garbage is not the only method of filling in and beautifying the High School grounds, the School Board yesterday adopted plans for the creation of a campus and boulevard in accordance with the original draft prepared by Mr. Earl Clark, of the High School staff.

These plans, ratified by the Board at the request of Mayor Marchant, will be laid before City Engineer F. M. Preston this week with the suggestion that day labor may be employed in finishing the work.

The contention of the Board is that by levelling off the hummocks and filling in the holes with the material so removed there will be no need for dumping garbage, as has been done during the last few weeks. It is proposed that two lots adjacent to the original site recently handed over by the city should be so developed.

Although the dumping of garbage created such an uproar as a result of the dust and offensive smells created that orders have been issued to have it stopped, city health officials maintain that the work must be continued in some measure if a serious menace to health is to be eliminated. They point out that the spreading of decaying refuse over such an extensive area constitutes at present a grave danger and that this material must be thoroughly covered at once.

# COMPLICATED CASE IN SUPREME COURT

## Action Over Various Land Deals at Gordon Head Involves Difficult Problem of Law for Court

The intricacies and complications of the law were given a good airing yesterday in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice Murphy, when the case of Fish vs. Moorehouse in an action for a declaration that he was entitled to an interest in a certain piece of land at Gordon Head was brought by the plaintiff. The case involved a second case of Pearsons vs. Moorehouse over the same piece of land.

The action was commenced by Mrs. Pearsons against M. B. Moorehouse, she claiming that the whole of the land belonged to her. The contention of Mr. Moorehouse was that he thought he owned a half interest in the land and that Mrs. Pearsons owned the other half, subject to an accounting between them. Here the plaintiff, Fish, came in with a claim that he still retained his interest, and Moorehouse said that he was willing to grant Fish his interest, providing that he paid his share of the amount paid out.

### Numerous Agreements

The case covers the dealings for the land in several agreements of sale. In 1911 the land was sold in the first place by Mrs. A. S. Stannard to Mrs. G. Butterfield under an agreement of sale. Then Mrs. Butterfield entered into an agreement to sell the land to Mr. J. J. Harford, and Harford in turn divided the land and agreed to sell it in four separate parcels, one to M. B. Moorehouse, one to Mrs. G. A. Pearsons, one to E. E. Fish, and the fourth to T. F. Oliphant. The parcel to Oliphant has been settled and disposed of and does not enter into this action.

There was a default in payment under the agreement from Mrs. Butterfield to Mrs. Stannard, and in 1915 foreclosure proceedings were commenced, and Mrs. Stannard got the land back again, except the Oliphant parcel, which was settled.

In February, 1916, Mrs. Stannard sold the property to Mrs. Pearsons, who acted apparently for Fish and Moorehouse, although she took the land in her own name. Mrs. Pearsons had communications with Moorehouse and Fish, and they both paid part of the $3,000 given on account. Then default was made again so that another foreclosure action was commenced against Mrs. Pearsons by Mrs. Stannard. Moorehouse then appeared on the scene, as Mrs. Stannard and the Pearsons had had a falling out. It is alleged, and Mrs. Stannard refused to deal with Mrs. Pearsons any more. Moorehouse persuaded Mrs. Stannard to allow them to sell five acres with a house on it for $7,000, to H. M. Lamb. So a new agreement was drawn up between Moorehouse and Mrs. Stannard.

### Mrs. Pearsons' Claim

Now Pearsons claim possession of the whole of the land, while Moorehouse claims half interest in it, but, in reply to Fish's claim, says he will agree to his having his share if the law allows it and he pays his share of the amount paid out. It is Mrs. Pearsons' contention that when Moorehouse closed the final deal with Mrs. Stannard he should have put the property back into her name and that she should pay his expenses in the matter, while, on the other hand, Moorehouse claims he was still interested in the land no matter whose name it was in.

H. A. Maclean, K.C., appears for the plaintiff Fish, and H. W. R. Moore appears for the Pearsons. The case is continuing in court today.

### Capt. J. J. Bennett Dies

OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 20.—Captain J. J. Bennett, 60, well known Pacific Coast mariner, died at his home here today. Captain Bennett was a 32 degree Mason, Hayden Consistory No. 4, A.A.S.R., of Olympia, Wash., and a life member of Elks Lodge No. 217, Port Townsend, Wash.

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Representative organizations will be circularized and invited to send two delegates to the congress, and matters pertaining to marketing, good roads and transportation, irrigation, horticulture, dairying, sheep raising and other subjects relating to farm activity will be discussed.

Mr. Graham Forrester, Dominion Government fruit inspector for Vancouver Island, attended last night's meeting and emphasized the importance of specializing in fruit production, of a standard pack and of the proper care of orchards in the way of pruning and spraying.

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# City and District in Brief

**Esquimalt Baby Clinic**—A baby clinic will be held in Lampson Street School, on Saturday next, from 10 to 12. Examinations free.

**Mistake in Tug**—It was the crew of the tug Mystery, and not the Sadie, which rescued the Indian, "Saanich Bill," from the waters of the harbor early yesterday morning.

**To Appeal Assessment**—An appeal against the assessment of the United Service Club's golf links, adjacent to Uplands, will be made this morning at 10:30, before Judge Lampman.

**Gordon Head Millinery Class**—The millinery meeting which was to have been held under the auspices of the Gordon Head Women's Institute has been postponed until further notice.

**Vital Statistics**—There were 76 births in Victoria last month, 37 deaths and 32 marriages, according to Medical Health Officer A. G. Price's report to the Council last night.

**Sympathy to Dr. Raynor** — The School Board last night passed a resolution of sympathy to Dr. M. Raynor, former chairman of the board, who is again confined to St. Joseph's Hospital.

**Revolvers Stolen**—The disappearance of several revolvers from military quarters at Esquimalt has been reported to the police authorities, who are in possession of the numbers, make and other particulars of the weapons which recently were stolen.

**Frances Willard Memorial Day**—There will be a parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. F. W. Laing, 1419 Stanley Avenue, on Friday, February 24, to celebrate Frances Willard Memorial Day. The meeting will commence at 2:30.

**Held on Theft Charge**—On a charge of theft of a purse containing $18, the property of her father, Violet McCann was taken in charge last night on North Park Street by police officers. She will be arraigned in the police court this morning.

**Service Tax Laid Over**—Ald. Perry's one per cent income tax proposal was laid over by the Council Monday night until the estimates have been disposed of. Ald. Perry said that special legislation would be required before the proposal could be made effective.

**Cyclist Injured**—While cycling yesterday at noon at the corner of Superior and Government Streets, Lawrence Everitt was knocked down by a Dominion Express Company's rig and received bruises and other minor injuries. He reported his accident to the police.

**Donations for Wedding Cake**—All members and friends of the Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E., are asked to leave their donations towards the "lucky dip" wedding cake at Room 314 Pemberton Building, care of Mrs. Shepheard, on or before Friday afternoon.

**Sailors' Club Whist Drive**—Preliminary arrangements are now being made for the whist drive which is to be given at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, tomorrow evening. Prizes will be given for the best playing, and dancing will take place at the close of the games. The proceeds go to aid the club's finances.

**At the Little Theatre**—The success of last Saturday evening's entertainment at the Little Theatre, Oak Bay, justifies the hope that an equally large audience will be present for the programme to be given this coming Saturday, February 25, in aid of the Oak Bay Friendly Help Society. No seats are reserved.

**St. Jude's Ladies Meet**—This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock there will be a meeting of the ladies interested in St. Jude's, Obed Avenue. It is felt by the promoters that the time is ripe to build up a strong organization to carry on the work of the church in all departments. Every lady interested is heartily invited to the meeting, which will be held in the church.

**Applied Psychology**—Rev. W. D. Spence, pastor of the First Congregational Church, will continue his addresses on "Vibration of Thought," before members of the Victoria branch of the World-Wide Movement of Applied Psychology, in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, at 8 o'clock tonight. All members of the organization have been requested to attend.

**Christ Church Boys**—The entertainment recently given by the members of Christ Church Cathedral senior boys' Bible class at their At Home was such a decided success that they have received a number of requests to repeat it, and they have therefore arranged a very attractive programme to be given in Christ Church Cathedral schoolroom tomorrow, at 8 p.m.

**Travellers' Dance**—The United Commercial Travellers are holding their monthly social dance on Monday, February 27, in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street. Dancing will take place from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., the music being furnished by Ozard's orchestra. During the evening a delicious buffet supper will be served.

**Elks' Luncheon Today**—Mr. H. M. Diggon, Past Exalted Ruler of Victoria Lodge No. 2, B.P.O.E., will speak at the weekly luncheon of local Elks and their friends, which will be held today at 1 p.m., in the Weller Block, Douglas Street, on "Fellowship and Harmony as Practiced in Elkdom." This will be the second luncheon which the Victoria Lodge has conducted this year.

**Local Scenes**—Some very interesting views of Victoria and Vancouver are being shown this week as part of the programme at the Dominion Theatre. A particularly impressive picture of the waterfront of the Terminal City is included, as are also views of English Bay and Stanley Park. The Government Buildings and Empress Hotel in this city, as well as several street scenes, are very effective features.

**Dance and Cards**—A benefit dance and five hundred tournament will be held in the headquarter's firehall on Tuesday next. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock, and continue until 1. Light refreshments will be served. Hunt's orchestra will supply the music. Tickets are selling rapidly, and those desiring them are urged to buy as soon as possible. They can be obtained from any member of the force.

**Girls' Corner Club**—The next meeting of the club will be tomorrow evening, in the Liberal Association rooms, over Victoria Book and Stationery Co., Government Street. Rev. J. F. Dimmick, of the Methodist Church, Victoria West, will give an address. Arrangements for the supper, which will be served at 6 o'clock, are in the hands of the ladies of Cloverdale Hall. All business girls are heartily invited.

**Overseas Gunners**—The Overseas Gunners' Association, which was formed last year, proposes to hold a dinner at the Dominion Hotel in about a fortnight. All who were overseas, and who had, during the war, or previous to the war, served with the artillery in any part of the Empire, are qualified for membership. Those who are interested phone 5600 or call at office of R. P. Clark & Co., 639 Fort Street.

**Mount Newton Social Club**—In spite of the weather a very enjoyable military five hundred tournament was held last Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Mount Newton Social Club. The prizes proved very attractive, the lucky winners being: First, Miss Hawkins, Mr. Buckle, Mr. C. S. Fox and Mr. F. Richardson; second, Mrs. C. S. Fox, Rev. Father Shalen, Mr. A. Hydes and Mr. Bourgoies. The next drive will take place on March 1.

**Whist Drive**—The Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan held their weekly whist drive in the K. of P. Hall last Monday evening, the prize-winners being: First, lady, Mrs. E. McAllister; gentleman, Mr. B. Morton; second, lady, Mrs. G. Barlowe; gentleman, Mr. H. W. Fawcett. On account of many contra attractions the attendance was not as large as expected. The next drive will take place on Monday next as usual.

**Date Phenomenon**—People who make a practice of using only numerals in marking the date of their correspondence will write 22|2|22 today, and they will not be able to do it again for a hundred years, according to a computation worked out yesterday by Mr. T. J. Goodlake, secretary of the Rotary Club. In 1911 six numerals came in a row, "11|11|11," but this will not happen again until 2011, and by that time people may be using Mr. Moses Cotsworth's calendar system.

**Aska Endorsation**—The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau has asked the Local Council of Women to endorse the plan to form a peace Memorial Children's League in British Columbia, and to take charge of part of the work of organizing such a body. The Council has also been asked to endorse the British Columbia Invitation Week, during which residents of the Province are asked to invite friends residing elsewhere to visit British Columbia.

**Dramatic Society** — The Victoria Dramatic and Operatic Society will hold its usual fortnightly meeting this evening at the Little Theatre. Mr. James Hunter will again occupy the chair after an absence in the East, and after the business session there will be an attractive programme of music and sketches. It is hoped there will be a full attendance of members, as some announcements regarding the future productions of the society will be made.

**Unusually Heavy Calf**—A heifer calf weighing 100 pounds was born on the Constance Cove Ranch, Esquimalt, yesterday, the owner, Mr. Arthur Young, of the Esquimalt Meat Market, stated to The Colonist last night. This is an unusually heavy calf, he pointed out, the average being about 50 pounds and the record calf 107. The mother is only a small cow. The newcomer gives every evidence of being in the best of health.

**Coombs Parent-Teachers**—The formation of a Coombs Parent-Teachers' Association was undertaken at an enthusiastic meeting held on Friday, February 17. The following officers were elected and committees appointed for the coming year: Mrs. Marshall, president; Miss H. Conacher, vice-president; Mrs. J. R. Dalton, secretary-treasurer; social committee, Miss M. Marshall, Mrs. F. Sinnott, Mr. C. Winchester, Mr. J. R. Dalton; membership committee, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Law, Mrs. Marson.

**Work in Lumber Camps**—A lantern lecture entitled "The Thrilling Story of Christian Work in the Lumber Camps" will be given at the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, by Mr. William Fullar, field superintendent of the Shantymen's Christian Association. Over 100 beautifully colored slides taken during the course of last year's trip up and down the British Columbia coast will be shown. Admission will be free, and all are welcome.

**Bible Society Meeting**—The annual meeting of the Victoria Auxiliary to the British and Foreign Bible Society was held in the Cathedral Sunday School room last night, the chairman being Mr. Arthur Lee. The speakers during the evening were: Dr. Knox Wright, Provincial secretary of the Bible Society, and Bishop Schofield. The officers elected for the ensuing year were: Hon. President, Bishop Schofield; president, Mr. Arthur Lee; secretary, Dean Quainton; and treasurer, Mr. J. G. Graham.

**Held Enjoyable Dance**—Last night a very well-attended dance took place at the Caledonia Hall, under the auspices of the Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses' Union. Over 250 guests were present, and enjoyed to the utmost the affair. Perry's orchestra supplied the music, and during the evening delicious refreshments were served. The committee in charge of the dance plans to hold a grand masquerade in the first week of April, when a number of prizes will be presented.

**Y. P. Department**—The Young People's Department of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a "mock political election" tonight at eight o'clock, in the Church hall. The affair will consist of stump speeches, party rallies and the receipt of election returns from the various constituencies. Refreshments will be served during the evening, while the Church hall will be specially decorated for the occasion. All members of the department are expected to be present.

**Cost of Unemployment**—According to figures presented to the City Council last Monday night by Ald. Leeming, the city distributed $3,365.45 in doles to unemployed in December, $4,267.88 in January, and during the first fourteen days of February, $3,585.60, showing a notable increase. All this was expended outside appropriations for public works. Between 500 and 600 men have been given relief work. A deputation which urged yesterday that the city provide free milk, food and clothing was referred to the Friendly Help Society.

**Literary Society**—The new literary society has received many requests for a repetition of the "Doctor's Dilemma," but it is thought probable that another of Shaw's plays, "Man and Superman," will be read, in any case, before long. On Thursday, "The Open Door," by Alfred Sutro, will be given at the Empress at 3:30 p.m. Mrs. F. G. Aldous will read the part of Lady Torminster, and Major Bullock-Webster that of Sir Geoffrey Transom. What is arousing special interest in this meeting is the fact that Mrs. Adams Beck is going to speak.

**Schubert Evening**—At the B. C. Academy of Music a Schubert evening was held on Saturday night, when Mrs. Styles Sehl, the Misses Grace Watson, Winnifred Bell, Vivian Colbert and Eleanor McLennan, and Mr. Harold Beckwith contributed vocal numbers, Miss Barbara Gibson playing three pianoforte selections. Additional to the musical part of the recital there was a paper by Miss Irene McMorran on Schubert, and Mr. George Dyke delivered a short talk to the students and others who comprised the audience. The accompainments were played by Miss Smith, A.T.C.M.

**Masquerade Ball**—Arrangements of the grand masquerade ball are going ahead. It has been arranged that the Dramatic Order of Knights of Khorassan Tel El Mahuta Temple No. 155 will parade a full-costumed regalia of a magnificent Eastern type, and it is arranged that the committee will not allow these costumes to participate for prizes. The prizes will be reserved for the patrons of the dance only. Committee reserves all rights, and masks will have to be lifted at the door at the request of the committee, which will ensure the necessary precaution for all those who attend.

**Missionary Society**—Sixty members and friends of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Metropolitan Methodist Church held a very successful meeting last Monday. The opening devotional exercises were conducted by the president, Mrs. Kinney. After a short business session, Mrs. Maynard gave a Bible reading. Solos were rendered by Miss Richards and Mrs. Tickner. Mrs. Sippreil gave a most interesting talk on the needs and opportunities of our mission fields, after which the meeting was thrown open for voluntary gifts, and upwards of $450 was added to the treasury of the society.

**West Saanich W. I.**—A military 500 drive will be held by the West Saanich Women's Institute at Sluggetts this evening, when attractive prizes will be given to the lucky ones. A special meeting of the Institute was held Saturday evening, when Mr. Terry gave an address on chickens, which was very much appreciated by all present. This was followed by an interesting talk by Mr. John Sangster on his new process of preserving and storing eggs. At the regular monthly meeting of the Institute a pleasing little incident took place when the president, on behalf of the Institute, presented Mrs. Guy, the retiring president, with some beautiful china, as a small token of appreciation.

**On Northern Lights**—The schoolroom of St. Columba Church was crowded last night when Mr. W. E. Harper, of the Dominion Government Astrophysical Observatory, Saanich, gave an illustrated lecture on "The Northern Lights." Some of the illustrations used were shown the first time since being received from Toronto. Views of the Mount Wilson and Lick Observatories were shown. The gathering, which was under the auspices of the St. Columba Young People's Society, was presided over by Rev. T. McConnell. There was community singing during the evening, this being led by Mr. F. J. Mitchell, who also contributed a solo. Mrs. Andrews presided at the piano.

**Missionary Society Meets** — The monthly meeting of the First Presbyterian Church Missionary Society was held yesterday afternoon, in the ladies' parlor of the church, Mrs. J. M. Graham, the president, presiding. Reports from the circles which were proposed by Mrs. W. J. Wilson at last meeting and largely organized since then were very encouraging, and will add materially to the mission's finances, as well as promote the missionary spirit outside the society. Mrs. Wilson gave a most interesting talk on India and the mission work being done there by the various churches. Preliminary arrangements are now being made for the Presbyterial meeting, which will be held in March.

**Reports Influenza.**—Medical Health Officer A. G. Price reports that a large number of influenza cases were reported to him yesterday and that he expects a recurrence of the epidemic in mild form. He has notified all doctors to report to him and also asks the public to advise him of all new cases. "If people will take care of themselves, Victoria will get through without many cases," said Dr. Price. Eighty-eight cases of mumps were reported in January, but it was absolutely impossible to check the spread of mumps amongst children. The present type of mumps in this city and elsewhere is extremely mild, except when it attacks adults, according to Dr. Price.

**"The Elopement of Ellen"**—On Tuesday, February 28, in the Parish Hall, Cedar Hill, a musical comedy entitled "The Elopement of Ellen," will be staged by the members of the St. Luke's Church and Tennis Club. There are to be added to the above other interesting items, such as choruses by a select choir from the High School students, who have kindly offered their services to the cause. There will also be violin and vocal solos and duets and other musical numbers. Altogether the affair should prove very enjoyable to those attending, and it is hoped that a generous response will be made, as no effort has been spared in the preparations, the younger members of the congregation having given much time and thought to the affair. Tickets may be had in the city at Bowes' Drug Store, View Street, or from any member of the club.

**Desperate Need**—Five or six men who called at the Friendly Help rooms in the Market Building yesterday to ask for overcoats had to be sent away empty-handed because the last coat was given to an applicant who called early in the morning. The continued conditions of unemployment are making it very difficult for some of the unfortunate families to provide themselves with sufficient covering to keep out the cold, and Miss Lawson is making an urgent appeal for supplies of clothing of all kinds, whether for men, women or children. There is a particular need for men's and boys' underwear, although this is only singling out one of the most urgent of the many urgently required things. A baby's perambulator is wanted, also a small cook-stove. The sudden variations in weather have accounted for disappointment in some offers of employment, a number of men who had painting jobs and carpentry work in view having been held back by the recurring rains. It is hoped that conditions will be improved when the finer weather comes.

**Book Thieves in Russia**

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—A London cable to The Mail and Empire says the Russian courts are imprisoning persons who borrow books and do not return them.

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## FRANCE MAY CHANGE LAWS ON RELIGION

LONDON, Feb. 21.—In many quarters, says a Reuter dispatch from Paris, it is anticipated that the resumption of relations with the Vatican portends a revision of the laws forbidding the presence of religious communities in France.

Many members are now actually residing in France. Some returned as reservists during the war and others who crossed the frontier as refugees from Belgium, where they established themselves after their expulsion. Their position at the present time is naturally ambiguous, and although they have suffered no molestation, there seems to be a desire to make their position more definite.

## THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 21, 1922

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising over Northern British Columbia, and colder weather is spreading southward. Zero temperatures are general on the Prairies.

TEMPERATURE

| | Min. | Max. |
|---|---|---|
| Victoria, B.C. | 33 | 39 |
| Vancouver | 32 | 48 |
| Kamloops | 6 | 24 |
| Barkerville | 6 | 14 |
| Prince Rupert | 24 | 35 |
| Atlin | —18 | 2 |
| Dawson, Y.T. | —16 | —6 |
| Calgary, Alta. | 0 | 8 |
| Winnipeg, Man. | | 14 |
| Portland, Ore. | 32 | 48 |
| San Francisco, Cal. | 44 | 58 |
| Seattle, Wash. | 32 | 48 |
| Penticton | 11 | 29 |
| Grand Forks | —1 | 29 |
| Nelson | 1 | 36 |
| Kaslo | 9 | 30 |
| Cranbrook | —9 | 19 |

TUESDAY

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| Highest | 38 |
| Lowest | 33 |
| Average | 36 |
| Minimum on grass | 18 |

Snow, 1.5 inch.
Bright sunshine, 2 hours, 39 minutes.
General state of weather, fair.

Some provinces of China have 557 inhabitants per square mile.

# ESQUIMALT COUNCIL HOLDS BUSY SESSION

## Unemployed Men of District Seek Relief—Mr. Gerald Sedger Secures Position of Municipal Solicitor

The Esquimalt Council held a lengthy session monday night when a number of deputations were received and a large amount of correspondence which had been steadily accumulating was disposed of. Mr. George J. Cook was spokesman for a delegation from the Esquimalt Unemployed Association. Mr. Cook contended that the present distress could be temporarily alleviated in Esquimalt if the council would borrow a sum of money to provide work on road construction and surface drainage.

Reeve Lockley assured the unemployed that the council would do its best to solve the problem. He pointed out that to borrow money the council would have to submit a by-law to the people, the passage of which he very much doubted. The council decided to proceed with rock breaking, and instructed the engineer to rebuild those roads which required immediate attention.

Mr. James Nicol headed a deputation from the Esquimalt Board of Trade, which urged that better fire protection facilities be installed in the municipality. Mr. Nicol claimed that the present methods used were obsolete and advocated the purchase of proper fire-fighting apparatus. A letter from the Esquimalt Women's Institute endorsing the Board of Trade's plea was read. No action will be taken in the matter until the estimates are considered.

The report of the School Board which gave the estimates for the ensuing year as $36,026.25 was received. Chairman W. T. Phillips, of the Board, was present and informed the council that the estimates were $2,194 in excess of last year's figure, this being due to the increase in pupils which required the employment of additional teachers.

**Will Not Share Expenses**

The council was informed that its share of the expense in the cost of the recent litigation between the Bishop of Victoria and City regarding church taxation was $193.75. It was decided not to help bear the expense of that suit on the following division: Yes, Councillors Bridie and Porter; No, Councillors, Wilson, Pomeroy Mesher, and Young.

Mr. Gerald Sedger, of the law firm of Messrs. Walls, Walls & Sedger, was chosen as the municipality's solicitor for the coming year in succession to Messrs. McIntosh and Finland, who have attended to the legal work of the district for many years.

The council was informed that it would be requested to pay the City the sum of $100 every six months for the use of the city police station.

The engineer raported that the rock crusher was worn out and would soon be useless. The council decided to call for tenders for a new crusher.

Communications from the Inner Harbor Association and the Esquimalt Board of Trade in which requests for grants were contained were read, but action on same was deferred until the estimates are discussed.

# KIWANIANS DELIVER TWO-MINUTE TALKS

## Speeches Given by Members on Subjects Drawn From Hat—Club Endorses Service Club's Council Plan

Two-minute speeches by various members on subjects picked from a hat featured the luncheon of the Kiwanis Club yesterday in the Dominion Hotel. The speakers and the subjects were as follows: Kiwanian Harry Boyle, "Punctuality"; Kiwanian Kirk, "Faces"; Kiwanian R. Hayward, "Contentment"; Kiwanian King, "Golf"; Kiwanian J. McDowell, "Horse Racing as It Affects the City"; Kiwanian Charles Campbell, "Is a Motor Car a Luxury"? Kiwanian S. Newton, "Kiwanis."

The Kiwanis Club went on record as favoring the formation of a community service clubs council in the city, and authorized the appointing of representatives thereto when such an organization has been created.

Kiwanian T. Braidwood asked the club to authorize the appointment of a committee to press for the provision of an "owl" service by the B. C. Electric Railway Company up to 1 o'clock in the morning. No action was taken in the matter.

Rev. William Stevenson spoke briefly, asking for support for the "Save the Children" Fund.

Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Nickson and Kiwanian Tom Scott. Kiwanian J. McIntosh presided at yesterday's luncheon.

# WOMEN HELP UNEMPLOYED

There was a well-attended and very successful meeting of the women identified with the Victoria and District Unemployed Council on Monday afternoon, at 623 Johnson Street. A report was submitted by the delegates who waited upon the City Council. The women are evincing greater interest and are contemplating extending the scope of their activities.

An urgent appeal is made to all women of the working class to register and assist in this very necessary work. They meet again on Monday, February 27, at 2 p.m., and will be glad to welcome any addition to their numbers. On Thursday, February 23, at 2:30 p.m., in the Trades Hall, Broad Street, Mrs. Alice Wicks will give a reading on "Esperanto," and show the necessity for a universal language. Everybody invited.

The earliest regular military organization is attributed to Sesostris, who flourished in Egypt about 16 centuries B.C.

# WOULD REDUCE DISTRICT

## Cowichan School Officials Wait Upon Minister and Suggest Change in Limits

Redefinition of the school district covering the two municipalities of Duncan and North Cowichan, the present district being deemed too large, was urged by a deputation which waited upon Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, yesterday afternoon, comprising Mr. Kenneth Duncan, M.P.P.; Mr. William L. Dwyer, chairman of the School Board of the district, and Trustee Smithe.

At present, it was urged by the deputation, the consolidated school district is too large. Under the School Act in consolidating two municipalities into a school district the whole of the municipalities must be covered, and to make the reduction asked for will require new legislation, Hon. Mr. MacLean stated, but he promised full consideration of the request.

# COUNCIL BOWS TO GARBAGE PROTEST

## High School Grounds Must Remain "a Ghastly Desert"—Residents and Officials Object and Dumping Ceases

If the High School grounds are going to become "a thing of beauty and a joy forever," as Mayor Marchant put it a week or so ago, it will not happen this year.

Bowing to the protests from half a dozen different sources, including the City Engineer, who complained of improper facilities; the Health Officer, who said a public nuisance was being caused; Mr. John Henski, who objected to the dumping of decayed fruits and the hosts of seagulls attracted thereby; the School Board and other organizations, the City Council Monday night adopted a recommendation of the Public Works Committee that the dumping of garbage at the High School grounds be discontinued.

The City will call for tenders for the disposal at sea of all garbage collected by trucks, and the City Engineer has been authorized to enter into negotiations with the Municipality of Esquimalt for a joint service. Private contractors, however, will be allowed to dump "clean material," from excavations, etc.

# REVELSTOKE ELECTION CONTEST GETS ACTIVE

## Liberal Leaders Invade Riding to Bring Support to Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works

While members of the Government and prominent party heads throughout the Province are expressing their entire confidence that Hon. W. H. Sutherland will win in the forthcoming by-election contest in the Revelstoke riding, where the Minister is appealing to his constituents following his recent elevation to Cabinet rank, tha party is taking no chances in the fight which this week is being waged.

In addition to all the members of the Provincial Cabinet now at home, with the exception of Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, other prominent party members have headed towards Revelstoke to bring comfort and support to the Minister of Public Works. Acting Premier MacLean and Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, have already been in the riding assisting Hon. Dr. Sutherland in his campaign. Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, and Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, are now at Revelstoke, and, in addition to this heavy oratorical artillery, the aid of Mrs. Ralph Smith has been commandeered, as well as that of other prominent Vancouver party supporters.

Mr. Andrew McIntyre, Conservative candidate in the contest, is receiving assistance from Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., Conservative leader, as well as from Vancouver Conservative orators, and is putting up a hard fight to capture the seat from the Government forces.

The Revelstoke polling will take place next Monday.

# NO DETAILS GIVEN OF SCHOONER SEIZURE

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 21.—Local prohibition agents today professed to be without official information as to the seizure Sunday off Jewfish Creek, about forty miles south of Miami, of the British schooner Annabelle, with 11,500 cases of intoxicating liquor on board.

All airplanes in the prohibition squadron left Miami last night. Capt. L. Rogers, commanding one of them, said he would make no report to federal authorities here, as the squadron was operating under direct orders from Washington. He said he had placed a strong guard over the schooner and its contraband cargo.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Prohibition headquarters today are still without any official report from Miami of the seizure of the British schooner Annabelle.

Details of the proposed scheme for using air planes, submarine chasers and reinforced land forces in a concerted anti-smuggling campaign in Florida were still being closely guarded by officials.

**Fatality in Strike Riot**

PAWTUCKET, R.I., Feb. 21.—One man was killed, two were seriously injured and six persons were hurt when the police used riot guns today on a crowd of 1,000 persons who gathered at the plant of the Jencks Spinning Company, where a strike is in progress. The guns were brought into play when several patrolmen had been knocked down after the arrest of three strike sympathizers.


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No smarter sports skirts will be seen anywhere. They come in box and double pleats with narrow belt, fastened with button to match the predominating color. Made from prunella and homespun cloths of excellent quality, in fascinating stripes and fancy plaids in a variety of color combinations. Special this morning ..... $9.95
—2nd Floor

## Women's Sateen Underskirts

Of best English make, in durable sateen with pleated frill; in shades of mauve, biscuit, navy, green, purple and cerise. For good hard wear, these skirts have no equal. This morning's selling, each ..... $1.25
—Main Floor

## Cups and Saucers at 25c

Breakfast size Cups and Saucers with clover leaf design; nice smooth finish; strong and durable. Suitable for everyday use. This morning's selling, each ..... 25c

### Fancy Jugs

Quart size globe shape Jugs, in fancy floral designs; four patterns to choose from. This morning's selling, each, $1.00

### Tumblers

Fine, clear glass Tumblers, in grape design; suitable for table use. This morning's selling, 6 for $1
—Lower Main Floor

## 32-Inch English Prints at 39c a Yard

English Prints of the best quality and fast colors; shown in light, medium and dark grounds with stripe, dot and figure designs, and plain navy; 32 inches wide. This morning's selling, per yard ..... 39c

## 44-Inch Imperial Navy Serge at $1.50 a Yard

This is a cloth that we can specially recommend to you for hard wearing qualities. Suitable for women's and children's dresses, skirts and boys' sailor suits. 44 inches wide. This morning's selling, per yard ..... $1.50
—Main Floor

## Women's Pure Wool Cashmere Hose at 75c a Pair

Women's Pure Wool Cashmere Hose, full fashioned, with reinforced heels and toe; good wide top; come in black only. Sizes 8½ to 10. This morning's selling, per pair, 75c

### Women's Heather Mixture Hose

Women's 4-1 Rib Heather Mixture Hose, full fashioned and double heels and toe; perfect fitting; come in assorted heather mixtures. Sizes 8½ to 10. This morning's selling, per pair, $1.50
—Main Floor

## Children's Lace Boots at the Low Price of $1.98

Made from black or brown calf by Canada's best manufacturers of children's shoes. Sizes 5 to 7½. Special for this morning ..... $1.98
—Main Floor

## Children's Red and Navy Flannel Middies

Collar and pockets trimmed with braid, with or without vest; in Balkan and straight styles. Just the garment for school wear. Sizes 8 to 10 years. This morning's selling, each, from

$4.50 to $5.50
—2nd Floor

## 36-Inch Hemstitched Bordered Scrim at 12½c a Yard

500 yards only, of this 36-inch bordered scrim; in white or ivory; will make into serviceable and inexpensive curtains. Special for this morning's selling only, per yard ..... 12½c
—3rd Floor

## Boys' All-Wool Jerseys at $1.75 Each

Just received a shipment of these fine English-made all-wool Jerseys, in a shade of navy blue; cut in a good fitting pullover style. Sizes 24 to 32. This morning's special, each ..... $1.75
—Main Floor

## A Very Special Value in Men's Suits at $19.85 Each

In splendid quality tweed in mixtures of grey and brown. Cut in good smart models of either two or three buttons. Good fitting and a suit that will give you splendid wear. This morning's selling, per suit ..... $19.85
—Main Floor

## A New Line of Men's Khaki Shirts at $2.50 Each

Just opened up; made in a good weight of khaki drill, with attached collar; long points; two breast pockets with button flaps; good and roomy. A shirt that we can recommend to you for the best of wear. This morning's selling, each ..... $2.50
—Main Floor

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2 for ..... 25¢
Bird's Custard Powder, per pkg. ..... 18¢
Local Fresh Eggs, doz., 38¢
Mild Canadian Cheese ..... 25¢
McLaren's Cream Cheese, per pkg. ..... 14¢
Old English Cream Cheese ..... 40¢
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Try a package of our Huntley & Palmer's Biscuits, just newly arrived. Varieties include—
Abernethy, ½-lb. pkg. ..... 30¢
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Ginger Nut, ½-lb. pkg. ..... 40¢
Nursery, ½-lb. pkg. ..... 50¢
Petit Beurre, ½-lb. pkg., 40¢
Short Cake, ½-lb. pkg., 38¢
Thin Arrowroot, ½-lb. pkg. ..... 40¢
Tea Rusks, ½-lb. pkg. ..... 50¢
Henley, per lb. ..... 80¢
Household Mixed, lb. ..... 60¢
Ormond's Empress Sodas, per pkg. ..... 30¢
Ormond's Empress Sodas, per tin ..... 60¢

## Drug Dept. Specials for This Morning

Parrish's Chemical Food, 8 oz. ..... 33¢
Camphorated Oil, 2 oz. 19¢
Eucalyptus Oil, 2 oz. 19¢
Witch Hazel, 5 oz. ..... 19¢
Glycerine, 4 oz. ..... 19¢
Pure Olive Oil, 3 oz. ..... 19¢
—Main Floor

## Women's New Girdles at $1.00 Each

The latest in Girdles; made of French ivory and steel rings, in colors of red, black and purple. Extra special for this morning's selling, each ..... $1.00
—Main Floor

## Boys' Bloomers at $1.69 a Pair

Just received a shipment of Boys' Bloomers; made from good quality tweed, in grey, brown and green; lined throughout and finished with governor fastener at knee. Special for this morning's selling, per pair ..... $1.69
—Main Floor

## Men's Working Socks at 50c a Pair

You will find real value in these socks at this price. Made from all-wool in shades of grey and heather mixtures; in 3-1 rib. All sizes. This morning's selling, per pair ..... 50c

## Men's Neckwear at 89c

In a good quality of silk mixture; cut in the wide flowing end; seamed in back to slip easily through the collar; in popular patterns and diagonal stripes. Splendid value for this morning's selling, each ..... 89c
—Main Floor

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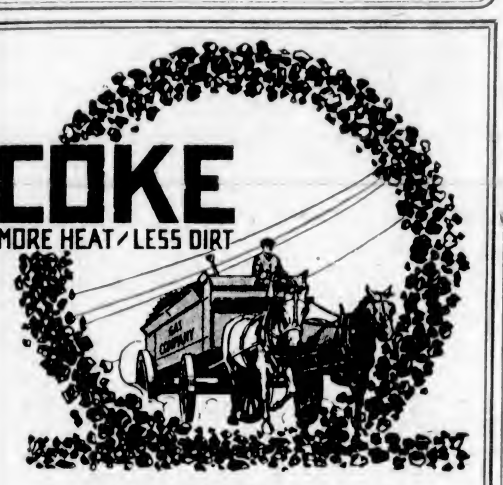


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## CYMRODORION SOCIETY

The executive of the above society held its meeting at the home of J. Petch, the president, 1904 Davie Street, last Monday night, to complete the arrangements for holding a social entertainment on the night of St. David's Day, March 1. Due notice will be given as to where the meeting will be held. Refreshments will be served, all ladies being kindly asked to bring cake or sandwiches. No admission fee will be charged, but a collection will be taken up to defray expenses. All Welsh people, or natives of Wales, or who are interested in Wales or the Welsh, are cordially invited.

The committee in charge of the St. David's Day luncheon to be held at the Dominion Hotel at 12:30 p.m., March 1, also met the same evening at the same place. Reports of members showed a brisk sale of tickets for the same, and augured well for its success.

Several prominent citizens have promised to respond to the several toasts, and the programme of music is in capable hands, and all are promised a good time. All interested in Wales or its people are invited to attend. Tickets can be had from members of the committee or from A. Petch, the president of the Welsh Society, telephone 6774L.

### Royal Betrothal at Bucharest

BUCHAREST, Feb. 21.—The ceremony of the betrothal of King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia and Princess Marie of Roumania was celebrated at the Corocend Palace yesterday.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Old China Mended**—637 Fort.

**Bookloyers' Library**, Campbell Building. Established 8 years. English books arriving constantly.

**To Complete Their Pledges**, St. John's W. A. will hold a silver tea in the rectory, 1611 Quadra Street, Friday, Feb. 24, 3 to 6.

**Don't Forget Trainmen's Dance**—Alexandra Ballroom, 9:30 to 1, Feb. 22. Hunt's 5-piece orchestra. Tighe & Wheeler's catering. Tickets, Gents, $1, ladies 75c.

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**Talks to Prospectors**—The second of a series of Talks to Prospectors initiated by the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, will be delivered by Wm. M. Brewer, resident engineer, Western Mineral Survey District, at Belmont House Board Room, on Wednesday, Feb. 22, at 8 p.m. Subject, "Prospecting Continued, With Reference to Minerals and How to Identify Them."

# SPLENDID RESUME OF CHAPTER'S WORK READ

### Annual Meeting of Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., Was Held Monday—Officers Elected for Present Year

Members of Camosun Chapter, I. O. D. E. assembled Monday afternoon at the Jones Building for the annual meeting, which followed the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. J. C. Barnacle, presided, and there was a large attendance of members present. The Regent, Mrs. Barnacle, was presented with a bouquet of violets, and a basket of chocolates, accompanied by a vote of appreciation from the members for the work she has accomplished during the past year. A standing vote of thanks was accorded to Mrs. F. H. Mayhew in appreciation of her work as secretary, also a standing vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs. W. E. Oliver in her recent ad bereavement, in the death of her father, Mr. W. C. Ward.

Officers elected for the coming year were as follows: Hon. Regent, Mrs. Henry Croft; Hon. Vice-Regent, Mrs. Andrew Wright; Regent, Mrs. J. R. Phillips; Vice-Regent, Mrs. Luxton; Second Vice-Regent, Miss Leitch; Secretary, Mrs. F. H. Mayhew; Treasurer, Mrs. C. L. Campbell; Educational Secretary, Mrs. Miles; Standard Bearer, Mrs. Kippen, and Echoes Secretary, Mrs Hopkins; Councillors, Mesdames Watson, Wrigleswerth, Bennett, Collosin, Moody, Hartley, Wille, McIntyre, Drummond-Hay.

Mrs. Albert F. Griffiths was nominated as councillor for National, and the five councillors for Provincial were, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. Andrew Wright, Mrs. Albert F. Griffiths, Mrs. Luxton, and Miss Leitch.

Reports given during the meeting included the treasurer's, which announced that the sum of $969.29 had been raised during the year, of which amount $298.98 is on hand; $200 of this sum is held in reservation for two of the chapter's undertakings. The Echoes report was given by Mrs. Hopkins, and Mrs. Wrigleswerth reported on the birthday box and soldiers' graves, both of which matters will be under her care for the ensuing year.

**Secretary's Report**

Mrs. Mayhew then read the secretary's report as follows:

During the year nine regular and two special meetings have been held, with an average attendance of nineteen.

We have fifty-nine paid up members, six new members having joined during the year, viz., Mrs. Burnett, Miss Wooley, Mrs. Wilkinson, Miss Nina Sill, Mrs. Chambers and Mrs. Hodges, and two members having resigned.

The chapter has taken its usual interest in the Victoria High School, and a framed picture of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, was suitably framed and presented to the school in June. The school has also been receiving the "Illustrated London News" as a gift from the chapter. The annual Cadet Ball was held under the patronage of the members, the Second Vice-Regent, Miss Leitch, and Mrs. Collison attending. Our regent, Mrs. Barnacle, attended the annual inspection of the cadets. It is hoped to present the picture of the "Burial of the Unknown Warrior" in the coming year. A donation was also given to the High School War Memorial.

Mrs. Miles, our educational secretary, has taken a great interest in her department, and the thanks of the chapter are due to Mrs Hill, who so kindly took Mrs. Miles' place, when the latter was ill. During the year the chapter's subscription to Secondary Education has been increased from three to five dollars per month.

**Many Activities**

A bridge tea was held at the home of Mrs. Andrew Wright in May last, which was a great success in every way, and the proceeds were devoted to the general funds of the chapter; and by kind permission of Mrs. Croft a garden fete was held at her home in July.

The annual hallowe'en party was held at the Alexandra Club on October 28, and was as usual a great success, all the members working well and taking a great interest in it.

The six soldiers' graves have been regularly cared for by the members, under the convenorship of Mrs. Wrigleswerth, who has worked faithfully, and who has been assisted by our standard bearer, Mrs. Kippen, on many occasions. During the Winter months flags were put on the graves instead of flowers, and during the Summer the crosses will be again filled with flowers.

Camosun Chapter has assisted in all tag days, and with all the general work of the order. Donations have been given to the Travellers' Aid, S. P. C. A.; Boy Scouts; expenses of provincial annual meeting; the Navy League; maternity work of the order; national delegates' expenses; Sir Douglas Haig's appeal for officers; hospital ball; soldiers' graves; reception for Lady Harvey; Girl Guides and the Christmas Relief Fund.

Mrs. Hopkins, our Echoes secretary, has attended the municipal meetings regularly, and has given us splendid reports.

**Members' Work**

I think a special word of thanks should be given to our standard bearer, Mrs. Kippen, who not only does her own work so efficiently, but helps with all the general work of the chapter. Her candy stall was a very special feature at the Hallowe'en party, and netted the sum of $30.05.

The Birthday Box has added to our funds all through the year, this being in the hands of Mrs. Wrigleswerth.

Many of the members contributed to the funds of the chapter by talent money, most of which was devoted to the War Memorial Fund. The chapter has now paid the sum of $635 to this fund, being its full quota of $10 per member, and $65 extra, and it is hoped to make a further donation at a later date, if Victoria's full quota be not reached.

In April last a shower was held in aid of the maternity work, when articles to a value of $26 were received.

Members contributed personally to the jewelled badge for Mrs. John Bruce, and to the flag for the veterans at Tacoma, also to Princess Mary's wedding gift.

**Battalion Colors**

In May last Lt.-Col. Lorne Ross addressed the meeting on the subject of certain embroidery to be done on the colors of the 67th Battalion, and suggested that as the chapter had adopted that battalion when formed, the chapter should undertake same. It was decided to do this, and the sum of $100 has been set aside for this work. Miss Ravenhill has now commenced the embroidery, and a brass plate has been ordered—this to be erected in the Parliament Buildings when the Flag is deposited there.

In December a life membership was presented to Miss Agnew in recognition of her work on behalf of the chapter—the funds for same being donated by the members. The presentation took place at a tea given at the home of the secretary, Mrs. Mayhew, by Mrs. Barnacle, when the chapter entertained the municipal officers and the regents of the primary chapters—Mrs Barnacle making the presentation at the request of the members.

The chapter has undertaken to furnish a room in the new wing of the Jubilee Hospital, and the fund has been started by the setting aside of $100 for that purpose. It is hoped to add substantially to this fund during the coming year.

**Regent's Interest**

Our regent, Mrs. Barnacle, has taken the greatest possible interest in the work during the past year, and has been most generous in both work and contributions on behalf of the chapter. We all feel sorry that we cannot re-elect her, but should not feel disappointed as we all knew she could only act as regent for a year.

Mrs. Campbell, our treasurer, has not only acted in that capacity, but has done all kinds of other work, and it was largely due to her efforts that the Hallowe'en party was such a success, as she and Mrs. Watson were conveners of the refreshments, which is after all one of the hardest parts.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

AGNES H. MAYHEW,
Hon. Secretary.

# UNEMPLOYED MOTHER FORSAKES HER CHILD

### Leaves Two Months' Baby Boy at Cornwall Street Residence, Hoping Its Future Will Be Provided For

Unable to secure employment and fearing for the wellbeing of her child, a mother, whose identity is unknown, left her two-months-old baby boy on the veranda at the residence of Mr. Shaw, 519 Cornwall Street, last night.

The child, well clothed, healthy and well developed for its age, was seen by Mr. Shaw when he returned home at 10:30 o'clock. Attached to the child's clothing was an envelope addressed "To the Householder," and contained a note written on a double sheet of letter paper, and indited in handwriting that indicated that the mother was possessed of refinement. The note was as follows:

"Dear Kind Friend,—Will you please care for little George for a little while. I am out of work and I cannot bear to see him suffer. Some day I will repay you for all your kindness. Please keep him until I return for him. Just call him Georgie. Give him 'Eagle Brand' milk diluted with boiling water, two tsps. to 2 ozs. of boiling water. I trust you will do this much for a poor mother. I can hardly bear to part with him but must for a while.

"Your's most faithfully,
"Georgie's Mother."

Mr. Shaw took the baby into his home and notified the police. He was brought to police headquarters by Constable Walton, to whose care he was consigned for the time being. He took the baby home to his wife, who will care for it until some other arrangements for it can be made.

# JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER APPROVES ENGAGEMENT

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—John D. Rockefeller has given his approval to the engagement of his granddaughter, Mathilde McCormick, 16-year-old daughter of Harold F. McCormick, to Max Oser, Swiss riding master.

Approval was given in a brief telegram, it was said, and it was reported also that he had expressed a wish that Oser become an American citizen. On this latter point there was no information forthcoming from the McCormick family.


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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George O. Pearson, of Calgary, are spending a few days in this city.

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Mr. C. P. Wilson, of Winnipeg, after spending a few days in Vancouver, has arrived in this city.

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Colonel J. D. Mathers, of Victoria, is sailing on the SS. Loch Ketrine on a trip to England.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Markham, of Regina, are spending a couple of weeks in this city, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Poole, 1595 Rockland Avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Innes, of Victoria, have returned to the Capital after visiting in Vancouver, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mallins.

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Last night a very successful military five hundred drive took place at the Lake Hill School, under the auspices of the Lake Hill Women's Institute, with Mr. Sandiford as master of ceremonies. Eleven tables were in progress, and the prizes were captured by Messrs. Alex. McCallum, Peddles, Fervice and Winter. As often happens, the booby prize was won by one of the best players. The next card party will take place on Friday week.

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On Monday evening a very interesting meeting of the Dickens Club took place at the home of Mrs. C. Nickerson, 2284 Windsor Road, Oak Bay. The president, Mr. C. C. Pemberton, presided, and during the evening Mr. J. B. Warnicker gave a very instructive talk on the life and writings of the great author, which was much appreciated by all present.

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Mrs. David Doig is reciting "The Balcony Scene" from "Romeo and Juliet," at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the New Literary Society, at the Empress this week. Mrs. Adams Beck will speak, and Mrs. F. G. Aldous and Major Bullock-Webster will do one of Alfred Sutro's short plays called "The Open Door."

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The following, from The London Gazette of January 27, will interest the many friends of Instructor Captain Hartley, late of the Royal Naval College staff, Esquimalt, now of the B.C. University staff. It is noticed under Naval Appointments: "Instructor Commander B. S. Hartley is placed on the retired list with rank of Instructor Captain." Congratulations on the promotion are in order. Captain and Mrs. Hartley left here last October to make their home at Point Grey.

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Members of the Wanderers Rugby Football Club were hosts last night at a very enjoyable dance held at the Alexandra House. Supper was served in the private dining-room, which was prettily decorated with daffodils, while the ballroom was decorated with ivy and greenery. Heaton's orchestra was in attendance, and among the many present were: Mr. and Mrs. Acland, Mr. and Mrs. Seele, Mr. and Mrs. Dempiston, the Misses Pemberton, Miss Monica Davie, Mrs. Muskett, Miss Cecily Simonds, Miss Betty Wace, Miss Betty Grey, Miss G. Ward, Miss Bagshawe, Mr. and Mrs. Tomalin, Miss Kitty Campbell, Miss Doris Harper, Miss Dorothy Dunn, Miss Blowers, Miss Ruth McBride, Miss Alice Nash, Miss Anne Sherwood, Miss G. Rant, Miss Doris Hay, Miss Clayton, Miss Gwen Hudson, Major F. B. Eaton, Messrs. Henderson, Humber, Dr. Harper, Messrs. Goldman, K. Raymur, R. Raymur, McIliree, Cecil Holmes, W. Merston, J. R. Mathews, Harold Hudson, Bagshawe, Ivo Henderson, Beech, and many others.

**BRENTWOOD**

Mr. and Mrs. Andros spent Sunday at their Summer cottage here.

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Mr. H. L. Knappenberger is spending a few days in Vancouver.

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Miss Sarah Clark, of Victoria, visited relatives here on Saturday.

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Mrs. J. Sutherland, of Keating, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. R. Warriner, of Victoria.

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Mrs. J. W. Walker, of Saanichton, is staying with friends at Galiano Island.

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Mr. T. Taylor, of Bamberton, spent a few days in Victoria last week. He returned home on Sunday evening.

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Mrs. J. W. Thomson spent a couple of days with her daughter, Mrs. A. Evans, of the Dallas Hotel, during the past week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hutchison, of Observatory Hill, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Owens, of Bamberton.

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Mr. Shaw, of Clark Avenue, is receiving treatment at one of the city hospitals. It is hoped that he will soon be restored to health.

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Mrs. E. T. Lawrie, of Keating, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hasenfratz, of Victoria, over the week-end.

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A most enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott, of Bamberton, on Saturday evening, the occasion being the birthday of the host. Speech-making, songs, games and dancing made up an entertainment that was varied and delightful. At 11:30 the hostess, assisted by some of the ladies, served a dainty buffet supper.

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**CORDOVA BAY**

Mr. Harris, who has been seriously ill, has now recovered his usual good health.

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Mrs. Hiscock, proprietress of the Cordova Bay Inn, left for Vancouver on Tuesday afternoon, to be absent for three or four days.

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The home of Dr. Knight has been undergoing extensive repairs, and is now almost ready for occupancy. At present Dr. and Mrs. Knight and family are residing on Haliburton Road. They expect to return to their home in the near future.

### Boy Killed by Truck

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 21.—Seven-year-old Frank Christie was crushed to death yesterday when he ran in front of a delivery truck. Witnesses say the affair was unavoidable.

Nearly one-tenth of Asia is quite uninhabited.


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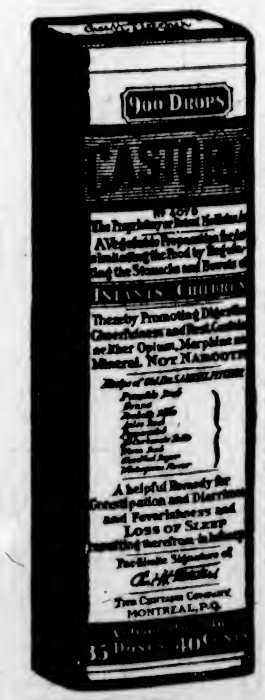


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## DANCE MUSIC RAISED TO STANDARD OF THE CLASSICS

The attitude of the public of late seems to have changed toward music. They have begun to like things that were formerly considered classic and fit only for opera and the concert stage. Even in the jazziest homes, there is a section of the album where red seal records are kept. Of course, rhythm and tone are the fundamentals of jazz, yet when people hear classical music that they know set to jazz they particularly enjoy it.

Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra, who are the centre of attraction at the Palais Royal, New York's popular restaurant and cabaret, were the first to realize that the days of jazz being popular simply because it was jazz, are over. It is no longer new to see a man play a trombone walking around his chair or blow a horn through his hat, or playing two instruments at the same time and simultaneously playing the traps. That sort of stuff doesn't get by any more. The novelty has worn off. People do enjoy, though, renditions of favorite composers such as Grieg, Massenet, Schubert, Chopin, and Puccini. They are always popular—even for dance music.


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### Health Department Laying Plans for Campaign Against Unwelcome Rodent — The Strategy Will Be Unusual

Last Summer Medical Health Officer Arthur G. Price conquered and put to rout the menacing house fly. The war was won largely through public education, removal of garbage and flypaper.

Before the Winter is over, Dr. Price intends to "go over the top" with a knockout offensive against an even more dangerous enemy to health — the rat. He proposes to bring into play exactly the same strategy which last year eliminated the flies. First, he is warning the public to get after rats with a vengeance, before they have a chance to multiply, as at present is threatened. Secondly, he will make every effort to have exposed garbage covered or removed, and thirdly, as the most active agency of all, he will use something almost identical to flypaper, except that it is of super strength—a thick, gluey substance smeared on boards, so tenacious when once touched by the nimble feet of the rat that the chances of escape are said to be practically nil.

"It is similar to the stuff that conquered the rat plage in great Britain during the war," said Dr. Price yesterday, and he produced photographs showing that in some cases as many as fourteen rats had been captured on a board only two feet long by one foot wide.

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Dr. Price objects to using virus unless absolutely necessary.

Meantime complaints are pouring into Sanitary Inspector T. E. Lancaster's office. A fish merchant reported that the walls of his store were "literally filled with rats." A woman living in James Bay said she had seen "streams of rats." In fact, so impressive were some of the stories turned in that Mr. Lancaster wondered whether some of the witnesses had not been under the spell of some hallucination or else partaking too freely of potent liquids. Rats fifteen inches long were reported to be lodging at a certain hotel.

Mr. Lancaster, however, has his own personal troubles with rats, and he stated that he is obliged to use two traps and large quantities of poison in his home.

"Have a cat around," is the slogan of Assistant Inspector H. Vigors, who recalls that while in the trenches in France he and his buddies couldn't have done without a cat or two to keep the rats and mice away.

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## COUNCIL REVIEWS PHASES OF ITS WORK

### Reports of Interest Read at Annual Meeting of Local Council of Women—Address by Mayor and Social Worker

The admission of two or three "extras" on their programme did not disorganize the routine of the first day's session of the annual meeting of the Victoria branch of the Local Council of Women, which completed all its scheduled work for the period before adjourning. There will be sessions this morning and afternoon at the Metropolitan Methodist Church also, commencing at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. respectively, the morning reports to include that on National Recreation by Mrs. Graves, and on Laws by Mrs. Spofford; while reports this afternoon will include Mrs. McMicking's on "Conservation of Natural Resources"; Mrs. Wicks' on "Citizenship"; Mrs. Hay's on "Peace and Arbitration"; and Mrs. Shampeney's on "Suppression of Objectionable Printed Matter."

Election of officers yesterday resulted as follows: Vice-presidents, Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. Gee, Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. Hallam and Mrs. Laing; first vice-president, Mrs. J. D. Gordon, by acclamation; recording secretary, Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes, by acclamation.

Conveners of standing committees include the following: On citizenship, Mrs. Wicks; conservation of natural resources, Mrs. McMicking; finance, Mrs. Galbraith; home economics, Miss Ringland; immigration, Mrs. Thomson; peace and arbitration, Mrs. Hay; taxation, Mrs. Andrews; employment, Miss Marlatt.

Nominations for president have to be made through the various affiliated societies, and the choice will be made at a future meeting of the society, Miss Crease's resignation having made the selection of a new president imperative. Recognition of the splendid work Miss Crease has done during her many years of office was made yesterday in the form of a presentation of a gold wrist watch and basket of freesias, Mrs. Wm. Grant and Mrs. Savory taking part in the brief ceremony.

**Busy Sessions**

A succession of interesting reports, either from the affiliated organizations or from conveners of special committees occupied the major part of the day, there being comparatively little discussion. Addresses were also given by Mr. Harkness, secretary for the Social Service Council for British Columbia, and by His Worship Mayor Marchant. These were additional to the presidential address and report of corresponding secretary-treasurer, etc.

Some discussion took place in connection with Mrs. Laing's report on Public Health, Mrs. McLaughlin contending that there was too much difference between Victoria and Vancouver in regard to the health of the children. In Victoria, according to Mrs. Laing's report, she stated, only five children, or one per cent of the total number examined, were suffering from malnutrition; whilst in Vancouver 23½ per cent of the children were reported to be suffering from malnutrition. She thought it might mean that the children here were not conscientiously examined, or else that the examination was on a very high standard in Vancouver.

**Public Health**

"Every year our schools are swept by contagious disease. There are parents who state their children are kept out regularly with some contagious disease. Until we know the quarantine law and enforce it, such conditions will continue with all the attendant misery and financial loss," said Mrs. Laing. The weekly clinic at the City Health Office, she thought, was not sufficiently advertised. In connection with the work of the Provincial Board of Health the strongest weapon for fighting infant mortality was the education of the mother, and certainly efforts were being made to distribute free advice. For the medical inspection of schools in Victoria there were the Medical Inspector, Dr. Wasson, and two nurses. As the result of the examination of 4,804 children in the city schools the defects reported were: Malnutrition, 5; defective vision, 42; adenoids, 23; tonsils, 476; teeth, 749; enlarged glands, 117; goitre, 26. Ventilation and sanitary condition of the school buildings were reported to be good. Mrs. Laing paid tribute to the work of certain voluntary organizations: The Vancouver Island Council for Social Hygiene; the Child Hygiene Council working under the Provincial Board of Health; and others. Dr. Bapty's view that "it was far more important to teach growing girls the relative values of protein, fats and starches than the morals of some long-defunct king or the number of Canada's imports as set forth in an out-of-date geography" seemed to be fully endorsed by Mrs. Laing.

**Professions for Women**

The convener of the committee on Professions and Employment for Women gave a comprehensive paper in which she reviewed the present conditions. Her information came in the form of answers to a questionnaire recently sent out by the national convener of the committee at Edmonton, one asking for a study of the entry of girls into various "needle" trades; two, a study of the operation of the Minimum Wage Act in relation to apprenticeship and experienced help; three, report on the question of domestic help with regard to supply and damand; four, conditions for employment in the district, undeveloped channels of industry which may be entered by women.

Teaching, nursing and business were touched upon as the most "attainable" lines of training, but they could use only a limited number of employees. During the past few years economic conditions had altered so much that few had the chance to learn one of the needle trades, as the employer in any of the "needle" trades was permitted to have but one apprentice to seven employees, the girl asking to be taken on to learn the trade generally met with a refusal. In any event, she must be paid the minimum wage for apprentices.

"It is a difficult matter to find the skilled worker during the past year or two for these establishments, because economic conditions have so greatly lessened the number of apprentices," said the report. The industrial world could find work for many more than have the chance to first work out their apprenticeship. The majority of girls and boys spend from seven to ten years in school, and at the end of that time face the world without an idea of what line of work they want to follow. The dearth of technical schools in Victoria was deplored. Now that the employer had to pay a greater wage, the girl must do her work up to standard, consequently only experienced help was wanted. The minimum wage ($12.75 to $15 per week) had been set in mercantile, laundry, cleaning and dyeing, manufacturing, personal service such as hairdressing, ushering in theatres, telephone and office occupations, public housekeeping, fishing industry, canning and preserving processes.

"This Winter has brought us face to face with an increasing unemployment problem," stated the report. Among the women the greater number of applicants were wives of men out of work, in most cases the mothers of families. The efficient household worker was greatly in demand if she were capable and able to live in. But the girl who did that work belonged to a constantly diminishing group.

"Constructive steps should be attempted in giving the girls much more training than is now allowed them in their household science courses in the schools," suggested the report.

Locally there was practically no opening for women workers apart from housework; stenographers, sales girls, teachers, nurses, factory workers, etc., always being available. A few brave women were making a start on the land with chickens, goats, bees or small fruits.

"It may be that the opportunity may come when we can work in some plans for an education that will give the ordinary girl a trade or business occupation that she can go on with when school days are over," concluded the statement.

**Education**

Miss Cann presented a survey of the present situation with respect to education. It seemed safe to say that any raising of the standard meant first of all an improvement in the quality of teacher, better-educated, more widely experienced men and women in the schools would mean better schools, whatever changes in curriculum might be made, a recommendation that cast no reflection on the work of the teachers in the schools of this city, the speaker qualified. But certain factors were far from ideal. The teacher's work was partly determined by conditions not in his power to change, the materials which came to his hands, his own training and experience, public sentiment, the character of the homes from which the pupils came. It was quite possible that in a very few years it might be possible to recruit the teaching staff of the Province almost entirely from university graduates. Young men and women would no longer find it possible to secure positions at the age of eighteen or nineteen when there were better-qualified teachers available at the age of twenty-one or two. At the present time all professional training was confined to the Provincial normal schools. The report called attention to an existing anomaly, viz., that salaries in many training colleges at present compared most unfavorably with the recently-improved salaries in the secondary schools. This was unfair, and served to lower public estimation of professional training. More widespread higher education, better training in strictly professional work were recommended.

"It seems of vital importance that children much below the average in capability should not be permitted to remain in classes to the detriment of the work of teachers and pupils generally. Many of those who have criticized unfavorably the work which was being carried on in Victoria with a class for subnormal children were looking for practical results which were probably impossible under the special conditions which have obtained here, and probably not sufficient credit has been given for the ethical benefits which accrue from the alleviation of unhappiness in the brightening of the lives of so many unfortunate children.

"It is commonly reported that special psychological work is being successfully carried on in Vancouver, and we do not feel inclined to admit that Victoria is justified in lagging behind in this important modern branch of education." It was illogical that the University of B.C. was offering a Summer course in mental tests, while Victoria teachers who availed themselves of this course must know that the reclassification of children, which was the logical outcome of this, was an impossibility in this city.

**Immigration**

Mrs. Thomson's report on immigration recommended that immigration to Canada should be restricted as far as possible to the Anglo-Saxon races. The disastrous effects of "the open door" in the United States had pointed a moral. Had more care been taken in the past, British Columbia and Canada would not have had the Doukhobor difficulty or the Chinese problem. Mixed races generally possessed the vices of both parents and the virtues of neither. The possession of $250 did not make a man a good citizen. High ideals, mental, moral and physical fitness were more important. These were best found in the British race. Mrs. Thomson quoted from a recent Toronto Saturday Night: "In Toronto 50 per cent of the criminals are natives of Continental Europe. Sixty per cent of the patients in the hospitals are foreigners. Toronto's foreign population is probably one-fifth of the whole, and yet that number furnishes 50 per cent of the criminals and 60 per cent of its free patients."

In British Columbia, "with regard to the Orientals who alone come direct to this port, the situation is the same as last year, only merchants and the student class are coming, and they alone compete with the white man."

**Presidential Address**

Miss Crease's address in the morning referred to some of the problems which the Council had taken up in the course of the last year: Good housing, training in citizenship, save the children movement, promotion of legislation giving women the right to retain their own nationality, recommendation to obtain closer relationships between public departments and committees affecting public health, trades, professions, education and an equal moral standard; work for the appointment of women judges for juvenile courts; prosecution of campaign against traffic in women, and many others. The vastness and worth-whileness of such things as an equal moral standard for men and women in business and private life was but one of many things which seized the imagination and urged work.

Miss Crease paid warm tribute to Mrs. Grace Johnson, one of the "far-seeing and earnest workers who had left her mark behind her."

Amendments to the criminal code were not yet all carried. The curfew bell is still silent, provision was not yet made for the female defective, there was yet no town-planning act, and very little interest shown by public men in the question; there were new ideas in the shape of resolutions from the National Council to be considered.

"Also, that best of all books for character building, that pocket library on which the Empire stands, has not yet its place in our schools. How then can it be the courage-maker it ought to be in the children's hearts?" added Miss Crease, referring to the reading of the Bible in the schools.

The concluding passages of her address were in the form of a farewell and thanks to the loyal co-workers who had stood beside her during her long term of office.

**Resolution of Censure**

In her annual report the corresponding secretary, Miss Sara Spencer, covered the work of her department, noting that seventy-six letters had been written during the year, beside those relating to the annual meeting and the usual circulars sent to the affiliated societies. Social service might almost be said to be the keynote of the Council's work during the year, since practically all the resolutions endorsed by the Council and two of the three outside speakers had emphasized some phase of this subject. The speakers referred to being Miss McMillan, of Aberdeen, and Rev. Mr. Archbold, and Rev. William Stevenson. Besides the resolutions incorporated in the reports of standing committees there was one of censure from the Women's Independent Political League re the raising of salaries of members of Parliament. Tribute to the fine manner in which she had fulfilled her duties as president was given Miss Crease, whose resignation the Council was compelled to accept with deep regret.

**Single Tax Blamed**

Victoria's desperate financial straits were to be traced to the single tax system in vogue here, claimed Mrs. Frank Andrews, in the course of an excellent paper which she gave before the Council.

"The raising of revenue is a question of vital interest to every man and woman in Canada." She enumerated some of the proposed methods of raising revenue. The income tax was already onerous enough. It had been suggested in some quarters that the Government place a tax on unearned increment. What was meant by unearned increment? An increase in the value of land, an increase created wholly by increase of population.

"Certainly the people who create this increase have a better moral right to the benefits than the man who simply owns the land," maintained the speaker. Unfortunately the principle did not work. If the Government were to tax on unearned increment in the one case, should they not have to consider the unearned detriment in the case of land deteriorating in value, as it had in Victoria in the past ten years?

"Already, owing to failure to pay taxes, property in Victoria assessed at over $5,000,000 has reverted to the city, and is now not subject to taxation as city property," noted the speaker, who lamented that the city was living beyond its means. Was it sound argument to demand, as in the present single tax system in practice in Victoria, that every owner of a vacant lot in the city must build a big office building thereon simply because the lot adjoining had an office block? Were there not examples of such buildings without tenants.

"Ability to pay should be the basis of taxation," said Mrs. Andrews, who held that the man who had the big block of offices and the income which the said block would produce should be better able to pay than the man who had no such block. Already, under the existing system, many an owner of vacant land had been taxed out of his property. As city lots and untaxable property, they had no revenue value to the city.

"It doesn't matter what form our property is in, it should be taxed," she maintained. Bonds, mortgages, as well as land.

Affiliated societies which reported in the course of the day included the Garden City Women's Institute, the Cowichan Women's Institute, the South Saanich Women's Institute, Gonzales Chapter, I. O. D. E., the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute, the Friendly Help, the Victorian Order of Nurses (Victoria and Saanich branches), the Oak Bay W. C. T. U., Frances E. Willard Union, W. C. T. U., Social Service Committee, Daughters and Maids of England, the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., Queen Alexandra Hive, Ladies' Musical Club, W. C. T. U. Home, and others.

Votes of sympathy were passed to Mrs. H. W. Graves and Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes, who are unable to attend the sessions of the Council owing to illness.

**Mayor's Address**

In addressing the meeting, Mayor Marchant expressed a wish to see the women of Victoria taking an even keener interest and part in public affairs than they were doing today. He suggested that they make a definite effort to keep themselves better posted on matters of public import, recommending a scrap-book for the preservation of press reports of items of city interest. He himself had started such a scrap-book. But let them see that they had authentic information on such matters. Personally he hoped for the time when women would occupy a place on the City Council. Back of his fight for proportional representation had lain that hope, that women would have some representation in the conduct of the affairs.

"The presence of women on the City Council would immeasurably lift the tone and aspirations of that body," he stated.

Among the special matters which women might well investigate was the condition of the back-door areas of the city. Could they not do something, he asked, to reform and clean up the kitchens of some of the city restaurants. He wished to see the policewoman's office restored. He would like to see them taking up the question of the care of the aged and infirm, of the protection of child life, of the care of the unmarried mother's child, with insistence that the father of such child be made equally responsible with the mother for its care.

**Social Evils**

Mr. Harkness, secretary of the Social Service Council for British Columbia, spoke for half an hour or more, reviewing some of the social evils of the day which called for grave consideration and active co-operation from the Local Council of Women and kindred organizations which have the welfare of the nation and society at heart. Infant mortality was a question requiring urgent attention. In North America last year 300,000 little children died before attaining their first birthday. Over fifty per cent of these could have been saved. Some educational programme teaching the parents how to guard the lives of their children must be carried through.


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## FOSTERING INTEREST IN RUGBY FOOTBALL

To the Sporting Editor, — Mr. Tildesley in his letter sets out very completely the chief faults which have weakened Rugby in this city; his remarks will not pass unheeded by all players, and especially those in charge of the younger element. The revival of the game to a higher standard rests chiefly in the hands of the young players and those coaching them.

The Naval College XV is a striking example of what can be done by good coaching; of course, they are better situated than the average town player for training, etc. The lack of condition has been very noticeable this year; if a fellow wishes to play he should be unselfish enough to keep fit, and it can easily be done without much self-denial. Unfit players are a great handicap to a team.

To my mind the best way to improve the game would be to erect comfortable dressing-rooms on the field, where hot water could be obtained and the players could change comfortably; the existing arrangements are deplorable. However, until the fate of the ground is known nothing can be done. But, later, could we not have a whip round and collect some funds and put what we require; also it might be arranged that the building be adapted so it can be used by Boy Scouts as a headquarters in return for keeping it clean and stoking the fire when games are played.

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## FRANCE SENDS FORMAL DAVIS CUP CHALLENGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—France is the latest challenger for the Davis Cup, premier tennis trophy of the world.

Julius C. Myrick, president of the U. S. Lawn Tennis Association, announced today that he had received a formal challenge from Pierre Gallou, secretary of the French Lawn Tennis Federation.

Great Britain and Australia previously had made known their intention to attempt to wrest the trophy from the hands of the tennis players of this country.

### Saanich Basketball

L. Thomson, of Brentwood, is organizing a team to play basketball against the Saanichton Juniors on Saturday evening next.

## *Newsies and Weilers Will Battle Tonight*

### Crucial Game in Commercial Hockey League Is Expected to Provide Thrilling Contest—All-Star Teams of Garage and Commercial Leagues Will Engage in Second Game

Tonight will decide whether the Newsies hockey team really has a chance for the championship game of the Commercial League. By winning last week from the Hudson's Bay, the Newsies now have to replay the much contested game with Weiler's. If Weilers beat the Newsies, the defeat will put the latter down at the bottom of the league, and the Eagles and Weilers will share the honors of second place. The replay of this game has been the cause of much dispute, and beyond doubt the last game was such a close hard-fought contest that the Newsies can hardly be blamed for endeavoring to sidestep the second issue, now that the championship is at stake.

Mr. Cox, manager of Weilers, is expecting a victory. He announces that he has another man signed on and intends to clean up the newspapers' representatives. Nobody, after seeing the Weilers in action will dispute the fact that they are a speedy, skilful team.

The importance of this game need hardly be commented on. The Newsies must win or their chance is gone for good for winning the McConnell Cup this year, while Weilers and the Eagles will both step over their heads for second place.

Tonight's contest will also decide if the Hudson's Bay have to battle for the McConnell Cup, and, if so, they will indeed go out to win, as there is no doubt over-confidence lost them the game last week. After cleaning them all up the Bays underestimated the Newsies and the Newsies slipped in a little goal which turned the trick.

**Adds to Interest**

However, this has added interest to the closing stages of the schedule. From a spectator's point of view it could not have happened better, and the coming games promise to surpass anything the league has yet staged. The Commercial League officers deserve high praise for the class of hockey shown and the sportsmanlike handling of the games. Bill Riley, who has promised to be on hand for the final games, has been all that could be desired in a referee. The line-up for the game will be as follows: Weilers—Goal, Watson; defence, Straith and Wynn; forwards, Moody, Drinnan and Ackroyd; reserves, F. Young, Fred Young and Rennie. Newsies — Goal, Geiger; defence, Woodhouse and Hutchison; forwards, Mowatt, Pinchback and Goodacre; reserves, Vic Simpson, Rose and Jackson.

**All-Stars to Meet**

Following this game there will be a game between the All-Stars of the Commercial League and the All-Stars of the Garage League, which should provide an exciting contest.

The Garage League has proved the high class of their star players and they are noted for their clean sportsmanship and good-natured play. With so many star amateur players taking part, the spectators should be treated to a fine exhibition of speedy and thrilling hockey, and it is expected that there will be a big attendance at the Arena to give the players of both leagues the encouragement they merit.

Bobby Dunn and Abe Jones will again take the timekeepers' box. The creditable way they have handled that trying office has met with the approval of all. Jack Gard and De la Hunty will, as usual, be the goal umpires.

The colors of the Commercial All-Stars will be purple and gold, and those of the Garage players cardinal and white. The line-up will be as follows: Commercial—Goal, Pollock; defence, Patrick and Lumsden; forwards, McGibbon, Mann and Ford; substitutes, J. Reid and Wright. Garage—Goal, E. Revercomb; defence, G. E. Batterson and C. Vey; forwards, F. Ackroyd, Vic Simpson and W. Hewer; substitutes, T. Revercomb, B. Price and R. Ranger.


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## ELKS BOWLING TEAM DEFEATS TRAVELERS

In a match played last night the Elks defeated the Travelers by 255 pins. R. Genge bowled high score for the Elks, 187, and W. H. D'Arcy for the Travelers with 181.

Following are the full scores:

| Travelers | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| R. Henry | 181 | 148 | 176 | 505 |
| J. Huxtable | 149 | 118 | 150 | 417 |
| J. Denholm | 87 | 109 | 111 | 307 |
| W. H. D'Arcy | 120 | 181 | 105 | 406 |
| H. Stuart | 136 | 171 | 140 | 447 |
| | 673 | 727 | 682 | 2082 |

| Elks | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| G. Bayley | 168 | 152 | 158 | 478 |
| B. Fuggle | 171 | 126 | 165 | 462 |
| C. Handley | 149 | 162 | 161 | 472 |
| R. Genge | 142 | 128 | 187 | 457 |
| C. Brooke | 185 | 118 | 165 | 468 |
| | 815 | 686 | 836 | 2337 |

The next match will be between The Colonist and Arcades.

In a C.P.R. League match the E. & N. Enginemen defeated the General Office Staff.

A meeting of the captains of the City Bowling League is called for Thursday, Feb. 23, at 8 p.m., at the Bowling Alley. Business of importance.

## TWELVE DOG TEAMS ENTERED FOR DERBY

THE PAS, Man., Feb. 21.—Twelve entries, all from Northern Manitoba, had been entered today for the 200-mile The Pas dog Derby, which will be held on February 28 for a purse of $2,500.

## QUOITING NOTES

A meeting of the local quoiters is called for tonight at the Willows, at 8 o'clock, which it is asked that all members will attend who can possibly do so. The result of the double-handed game at the Willows on Saturday was, Oaklands 41, Willows 38.

**Californians Win**

DEL MONTE, Calif., Feb. 21.—All contenders in the annual Washington's birthday golf tournament here, not residents of California, were eliminated in play today. J. A. Mackenzie, of San Francisco, defeated W. T. Bassett, of Chicago, 4 and 3, and Charles W. Goodwin, of Del Monte, won from E. W. Hamber, of Vancouver, B.C., 2 and 1.

## STAFF IS CHAMPION

LAKE PLACID, N.Y., Feb. 21.—Arthur Staff, of Chicago, won the International professional skating championship here today. Edmund Lamy, of Saranac Lake, was second, and Bobby McLean, of Chicago, was third.

## BAYS WILL PLAY SECOND "REP" TEAM

### Rugby on Saturday Will Be Tryout for Fifteen Picked to Play Vancouver Centrals Here March 4

Senior League Rugby in Victoria is now finished for the season, and the J.B.A.A. were duly declared winners of the Barnard Cup at the weekly meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union. The Rugby season is not yet finished, however, and at least two more good games should be seen on local grounds. On Saturday next the Bays will play the second Victoria "rep" team, which will on the following Saturday play the Vancouver Centrals here.

The team which will oppose the Bays, and on the following week the Centrals, will be composed of the following players:

Full back, Goodacre (Wanderers); three-quarters, Mitchell (Naval College), Wiltshire and Walls (Wanderers) and Challoner (Old Boys); five-eighths, Adams (Naval College); half-backs, Beech and Taylor (Naval College); forwards, Kinch, Juckell, McCormick and Loosemore (Naval College), Milligan and Henderson (Old Boys), McCallum (Wanderers); reserves, Clark and Collinson (Old Boys).

## LAST HOPE RESTS ON WIN FOR VANCOUVER

### If Millionaires Beat Metropolitans on Seattle Ice, Aristocrats Still Have Fighting Chance to Stay in Game

Never before have the Victoria Aristocrats been so interested in a Vancouver-Seattle hockey game as they are in tonight's fixture in Seattle. They have a right to be keyed up over this battle, for it may decide whether or not they will get into the P. C. H. A. play-off. If Vancouver can grab this evening's game, the Caps could tie Seattle by a win over Vancouver here Friday. Under these circumstances a preliminary sudden-death play-off between Victoria and Seattle would decide which of the two teams would meet the Vancouver Millionaires in the final wind-up series for the right to meet the Eastern champions. So all eyes are on Seattle today.

Whatever happens tonight, the Aristocrats will give the fans a final thrill at the Arena here Friday, when they will meet the Millionaires in the last regular schedule game of the season. Captain Eddie Oatman and his team-mates returned to Victoria yesterday in good shape, in spite of their beating on the Mainland. They offered no alibis, and admitted that Vancouver deserved to win on the evening's play. During the remainder of the week they will get ready for Friday's game, which they are determined, regardless of what happens in the meantime, to make another brilliant exhibition of hockey and another sensational victory.

**Depends on Tonight**

If Seattle wins tonight, all hope for the pennant, as far as the Aristocrats are concerned, will be gone, but Friday's game here will be just as exciting an affair as ever. The final appearance of the Aristocrats—if it proves to be that—will be greeted by large numbers of faithful followers of the game who have been right behind the Caps in their gallant fight for the big honors. They realize that the Victorians have given the very best in them to land a championship. Even if the breaks go against the local speed artists, their friends will turn out to give them a last glad hand and to get a last look at the thrilling ice game this year.

A survey of the Aristocrats' camp yesterday found the boys disappointed, but hopeful over tonight's chances and keen to polish off a grand season with a grand victory. Besides, they want to boost their own scoring records in the final moments. "If Vancouver wins tonight, I believe we'll make the play-off, but even if we don't, we'll do everything we can to give the fans a final win on Friday," Captain Oatman declared. So, whether or not Vancouver comes to the rescue of Victoria this evening, a thrilling twelve weeks of hockey will come to an end just as thrilling on Friday.


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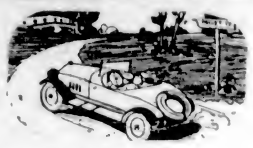

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## SPORT IN NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Feb. 21.—The Pirates basketball team had matters all their own way against Spencers in an intermediate game at the Athletic Club arena last night, running up a score of 50 to their opponents' 10.

In the girls' game the High School team defeated the Windsors by 7 to 4. This game was very even throughout, both sides showing good form.

The game between the Foresters and the Haliburton teams was postponed owing to illness of some of the players.

A meeting of the members of No. 1 and Protection Football Club was held on Sunday, when the following officers were appointed: Hon. president, John Hunt; president, Robert Laird; vice-president, A. W. Courtenay; secretary-treasurer, R. Wilson; manager, A. Niven; trainers, A. Phillips and A. J. Churchill; committee, Messrs. J. English, W. Thorpe, Sam Cowden, J. Brown, D. Stobbart, Ed. Stone, L. Broderick.

## S. S. BASKETBALL

"Axioms" junior girls are still holding second place in the Junior Girls' S.S. Basketball League as a result of their win over the Wideawakes last night, at the First Presbyterian gymnasium, by 17 to 6. Both teams showed great promise of becoming expert basketballers in the near future. Kathleen Forbes was the star of the winning team, scoring twelve points, Peggy Watson and Rena Watson also doing some fine shooting. Queenie Wilson and May Martin each scored three points for the Wideawakes.

The first period was very close and it was not until the second half of the game that the Axioms gained a safe lead.

Bill Erickson refereed and the teams were:

Axioms—Kathleen Forbes, Peggy Watson, Rena Watson, Jennie Wilson, Bessie Chafe.

Wideawakes—Queenie Wilson, Eleanor Dinsdale, May Martin, Helen Smallwood, Fay Forster.

**James Bays 13, St. Andrews 6**

James Bays and St. Andrews Intermediates met in the most exciting game of the evening. St. Andrews led all through the first period and at half time led by one point. The Bays gained a lead in the second period and scored ten points, while St. Andrews could only get six in this period. Lupton and Stevens scored six points each for the Bays, while Doug. Robertson netted five points for St. Andrews.

Colin McFadyen refereed. The teams:

St. Andrews—Robertson, McLean, Pillar, Horne.

Bays—Hartley, Lupton, Robinson, Moffat, Kenyon, Stevens.

**K. of C. 54, Reformed Episcopals 4**

K. of C. boys had no trouble in winning from the Reformed Episcopals at the Congregational gymnasium. Geiger and Macedo scored very rapidly. The line-up:

K. of C.—Basso, O'Neill, Geiger, Delahunty, De Macedo.

Reformed Episcopal—Fraser, Turner, McConnell, Legg.

**Adanacs 12, Metropolitans 6**

Adanacs won an exciting game from the Mets, both teams playing a fast game. Patterson and Turner scored four points each for the winners.

Hunter McCloy refereed. The line-up:

Adanacs—Patterson, Sherratt, Smith, Turner, Dicks.

Metropolitans — Barlow, McComb, Pendray, Fisher, Whiteley.

## HORSEMEN WILL TRY TO INFLUENCE COUNCIL IN FAVOR OF RACES

The Vancouver Island Thoroughbred Horse Breeders' Association will hold a social this evening at their headquarters at 575 Yates Street. Arrangements have been made for representatives of the association to meet the City Council on Friday to endeavor to get the city fathers to reconsider their decision not to allow horseracing here this season.


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## CYRIL TOLLEY COMING AFTER YANKEE TITLE

Roger Wethered Will Also Be Among British Golfers Who Will Invade United States This year

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Cyril Tolley, formerly British amateur golf champion, will head a delegation of English invaders next September in an effort to wrest the United States crown from Jesse Guilford at Brookline Club, Boston, according to word received by Robert A. Gardner, of Chicago, who was defeated by Tolley in 1920, losing on the thirty-seventh hole.

Roger Wethered, who lost the open title to Jock Hutchison after tying the Chicago pro last year, will accompany Tolley to the United States, it is said.

## HOCKEY BULLETINS FROM ALL THE RINKS

WINNIPEG, Feb. 21.—Making the best of their opportunities and playing a sound defensive game when hard pressed, the Brandon hockey team defeated Winnipeg 6 to 3 here in the first of the home-and-home games to decide the championship of the Manitoba Senior Hockey League. The final game will be played on Wednesday at Brandon.

ROSTHERN, Sask., Feb. 21.—Rosthern was eliminated in the final series for the amateur hockey championship of Saskatchewan here when Humboldt won a spirited game, 7 to 3. Humboldt secured five goals before the losers started to score.

CALGARY, Feb. 21.—Displaying superior combination at all times and supported by wonderful goalkeeping on the part of Billy Laird, Regina Capitals defeated the Calgary Tigers 5 to 3. The victory gave the Regina team an excellent chance to gain admission into the play-off at the end of the season.

MOOSE JAW, Feb. 21.—Edmonton's Eskimos came out of the North well equipped for a siege of the City of Moose Jaw, and after a desperate attack carried off a splendid hockey victory by a score of 6 to 1.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Feb. 21.—The Soo Greyhounds won the right to meet the Iroquois Falls hockey team for the championship of the N.O.H.A. when it defeated the Sudbury Wolves by a score of 1-0 here last night.

EXETER, Ont., Feb. 21.—The first of home-and-home games in the third round of the O.H.A. Intermediate series took place here last night, when Kitchener defeated Exeter, 4 to 0.

**O.H.A. Intermediate Results**

Aura Lee, 7; St. Helens, 3.
Kitchener, 4; Exeter, 0.
Belleville, 5; Midland, 4.

**Senior N.O.H.A.**

Soo, 1; Sudbury, 0.

## V. I. A. A. BASKETBALL

**Calgarians Play Drawn Game With Ladies' Team—Home Five Beat Princess Pats**

Two good basketball games were played last night in the V. I. A. A. gymnasium. The first game, between the Calgarians and the V. I. A. A. ladies' team, was a very fine contest, so close in fact that at the end of full time each team had eleven points to its credit. It was decided not to play overtime, and the two teams will meet again on Thursday night to try and reach a decision.

The ladies' game was followed by one between the 130-pound men's team of the home club and the Princess Pats' five. The soldiers were in fine form and showed some really good combination, but had not the requisite skill in shooting to bring them cut victorious, and the V. I. A. A. five won this game by 27 to 17.

## NEW YORK BOXING

NEW YORK, Feb. 21. — Moe Herscovitch, the Canadian welterweight champion, has been matched to box Berney Adair, a local boxer, here Saturday night.

Clonie Tait, Canadian lightweight champion, is to meet Johnny Murray, of New York, Friday night at Madison Square Garden.

Mike McTigue, claimant of the Canadian middleweight championship, meets Young Fisher, of Syracuse, at the Pioneer Athletic Club tomorow afternoon.

## JOE STECHER LOSES TO WLADEK ZBYSZKO; CROWD IS HOSTILE

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Wladek Zybszko, younger brother of the world's champion heavyweight wrestler, tonight defeated Joe Stecher, of Dodge, Neb., former champion, in a finish match at Madison Square Garden. A large crowd of spectators, displeased with the result, surged menacingly about the ring. They were dispersed by the police after several minutes of excitement.

## SPENCER'S WIN FIRST IN MAINLAND SERIES

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21.—Spencer's team defeated The Sun team 4 to 2 tonight in the first of a two-game series to decide the championship of the Vancouver Commercial Hockey League.

**Tremblay Beats Forbes**

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—Eugene Tremblay, the veteran Montreal wrestler, won from Jack Forbes, of Toronto, claimant to the lightweight championship of Canada, here last night.

## JOHN PORTER DEAD

LONDON, Feb. 21.—John Porter, prominent British racehorse trainer, died today at Newbury at the age of 84 years. During the height of his activities he was the trainer of seven Derby winners and winners of stakes amounting to £794,017, the largest amount ever won by any trainer.

## APPLEBY WINS FINAL

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—Edward T. Appleby, of New York, National champion, added the international title to his list tonight by defeating Percy N. Collins, Chicago, in the final match of the Class A 18.2 balkline amateur billiard tournament. The score was 300 to 108.

## GRASS HOCKEY TEAMS HAVE FULL SCHEDULE

Deciding Game of Intercity Series Will Be Played on March 11—Ladies Play 'Varsity Next Week

Today there will be a grass hockey practice game on the Jubilee Hospital ground at 3 p.m. Next Saturday Fletcher will for the third time captain the club against Mr. Idiens' eleven. Last Saturday the club won against this team by three to one, and on the previous Saturday by two to one.

On March 4 the ladies cross to Vancouver to try conclusions with the B. C. University ladies' team, and on the same day Salt Spring Island will send a men's team to play the home eleven.

On March 11 the final game between Mainland and Island will be played for the O. B. Allan Cup. At present each side has a game to its credit, so the third game of the rubber here ought to attract some attention.

On March 18 a mixed eleven will visit Ganges Harbor. This is always an enjoyable trip, both from a social and sporting standpoint, as Mr. A. Price and his confreres always live up to the best standards of hockey.

The next club dance is on March 2, at the K. of C. Hall, when arrangements point to a repetition of last month's successful reunion.

## CANADIAN CHAMPION WINS AT SPOKANE

SPOKANE, Feb. 21.—Gene Conner, champion lightweight wrestler of Canada, defeated Ivan Siemane, of Spokane, tonight in the first ten-round wrestling match held here under the White Rules. Conner took the first fall after four minutes and 45 seconds of the second round and received the referee's decision at the end of the tenth.

In a preliminary boxing bout Billy Morrow, Spokane, knocked out Peter Jackson, Seattle, in the second round.

## BILLY MISKE WINS FROM ROPER ON FOUL

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—Billy Miske, St. Paul heavyweight, won his bout tonight from Captain Bob Roper, Chicago, on a foul. Roper was disqualified by the referee and sent from the ring at the end of the sixth round. The match was for eight rounds.

**Greb and Smith**

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Harry Greb, Pittsburg, and Jeff Smith, of New York, boxed 10 rounds to a draw here last night.

**Herman K. O.'s Asher**

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21.—Pete Herman, New Orleans, former bantamweight champion, scored a technical knockout over Babe Asher, St. Louis, in the seventh round of a scheduled 15-round bout here last night.

**R. G. Long & Co. Stock**

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—Official Referee J. A. Cameron, at Osgoode Hall yesterday, opened tenders for the purchase of R. G. Long & Company, manufacturers of underwear, gloves and sweaters. The inventoried value of the Toronto, Winnipeg and Montreal stock is about $260,000. Tenders ranged from 25 to 50 cents on the dollar.


**WAS TROUBLED WITH HER STOMACH FOR FIVE YEARS**

Mrs. Samuel Ward, Millerdale, Sask., writes: "I feel that I must write to you before another day passes, I am so happy and so grateful to your splendid medicine, Burdock Blood Bitters, for after an illness of five years I am better.

I had stomach trouble so bad I could not bear the smell or taste of food of any kind, and got so thin and weak I could not work. I had four doctors attend me, but they did me no good. I was in no pain, but felt so ill, at times, I thought I would die, in fact, all my friends were sure I could not live many weeks.

This time last year I saw where a man was relieved of stomach trouble by Burdock Blood Bitters, so my husband got me two bottles, but I had no faith in it after all the different medicines I had taken. However he insisted, and after the first two days I must say I began to feel better, and after the first bottle I felt so much better I went out a little every day, but could not go alone I was so weak, but I soon got so I could walk and eat, and have got quite stout.

I am nearly seventy years of age and I feel better than I have for years, and can now do all my housework.

You may make use of this letter if you wish, as it may be the means of making others as well and as happy as I am."

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## LONDON WOMEN ARE TEMPTED BY SALES

Shoplifting by People in Good Position Necessitates Special Force of Private Police—Prosecutions Are Rare

The crowded state of the West End shops during the January sales and the greater freedom with which pretty articles are strewn about on the counters are giving the store detectives a busy time just now, says The London Times.

Practically every big West End store, for its own protection, has to maintain a special staff of men and women, usually with an ex-officer of the Criminal Investigation Department at the head, solely to prevent pilfering by women shoppers, and it is no infrequent occurrence for eight to ten delinquents to be caught in one day. Blouses and pieces of silk, which are light and easily concealed, have a peculiar fascination for women, but some of the shoppers have most catholic tastes. Two women who had purloined about £9 worth of stuff between them in one West End store had articles ranging from jumpers to shoes and from children's dresses to a conjuring trick.

**Jackdaw Women**

The curious thing is that, in the main, they are not professional thieves, but first offenders who have suddenly given way to temptation.

"Jackdaw women" is the description given to them by the manager of a big Oxford Street store. "They are like jackdaws, monkeys, and babies," he said yesterday. "They see some article which attracts them, and before they can resist the impulse they have stretched out their hand and 'grabbed' it. It is a form of acquisitiveness which catches women unawares, and we always feel sympathetically with such people." Not one of these first offenders appears before the public police court, but, instead, there is a kind of informal court held in the superintendent's or manager's office, the main purpose of which is to frighten the woman so much that she will never repeat the offence. The delinquents range from women in good social position to out-of-work girl clerks, with a sprinkling of professional thieves who, of course, are promptly handed over to the official police.

**Real Kleptomania**

"Again and again well-to-do women have been unable to give me any reason why they purloined a particular article," the manager in question said, "and usually I find the surest way to bring them to their senses is to threaten to telephone to their husbands. We keep them in suspense for a time, and they do not forget the experience." In one instance, which happened a few days ago, the offender was so anxious to convince the manager of her good faith that in the Christmas holidays she brought her children—two little girls—to see him, and every year since she has made a personal call at the manager's office at Christmas.

Many grateful letters also come as a result of the clemency shown, proving the genuineness of the writers, for a thief by nature would make no sign. "I think I am really honest," wrote one lady, "but I do so dearly love dainty perfumes, and so I was tempted. . . . And to think that you were so merciful and spared me and my family such bitter shame and humiliation."

It is the policy of all up-to-date stores to avoid publicity for the delinquent, for such a course might so easily ruin the husband in business or break up a home. But the necessity of taking some action is evident from the number of offenders—sometimes 50 in a week at sale times—and in one store alone the private detective force annually recovers purloined goods to the value of between £2,000 and £3,000.

## BEAUTY CRAVES PITY

By a Woman.

In my salad days I once complained to a man of my acquaintance how unfair was the popular notion that plain women make better wives and mothers, housekeepers and cooks, then their beautiful sisters.

He was—in some respect—an intelligent young man and a great admirer of beauty, but he looked at me with round eyes, and said, in a shocking voice, "Well, they do, don't they?"

The fact is, of course, that in real life beauty is not an asset, but a handicap, and the beautiful woman has the least possible chance of attaining happiness, or success, or both.

And this is because what most people like is the mediocre. In real life there is a passion for mediocrity in heroines, heroines neither ravishingly beautiful nor marvellously ugly, and it is usually pushful plainness or doll-like prettiness that flops on to the few beds of roses that life has to offer.

The plain man who wants a wife prefers a pretty woman. The beautiful woman is too conspicuous, too unusual, to be quite comfortable, and for some obscure reason he is also afraid that he wouldn't get good dinners and healthy children if he married her.

The doctor, the office manager, the school inspector, all suspect her of being "fluffy,"—she cannot possibly want to be efficient at her job; all she wants is marriage and a status. So she does, poor girl, and so do most women, but the plain and the merely pretty ones who depend for their "effect" upon frocks and frills are likely to give more thought to the idea and less to their work than she does.

Artists are popularly supposed to admire beauty. They may do so, privately, but they do not paint it—it is considered outre nowadays; they want a "paintable" (which may mean hideous) model, not a beautiful one.

All these startling discrepancies between fiction and fact are best explained by history.

History—which is real life with a vengeance—shows the wisdom of this widespread fear and avoidance of the beautiful woman, and is full of instances where beauty was linked with tragedy.

The beautiful Mary Queen of Scots was, with her plain cousin Elizabeth, a candidate for the throne of England, but it was Mary who—literally—lost her head.

Ann Boleyn, Jane Shore, Fair Rosamund, and Marie Hamilton were all unfortunate enough to engage by their beauty the attention of kings and were in consequence beheaded, burnt to death, stabbed, and hanged respectively. Had they been plain or just pretty they might have lived in happy obscurity.

Altogether, beauty in history and legend treads a thorny path indeed; and dealings with a beautiful woman are still apt to take one out of the beaten tracks of life, and along a thorny path too. No wonder, then the average man avoids arresting beauty like the plague; naturally enough, he does not want tragedy; he wants a quiet life.

After all, civilization—which plays for the safety of the greater number of us ordinary people—depends for its very existence upon a quiet life; and the average man is the backbone of civilized society.

But while admitting that beauty is dangerous do not let us therefore treat it as a vice in the woman who has to earn her own living. In the name of all that is sincere, let us admit that the beautiful woman may—according to her character and temperament—make as good a mother, or cook, or shorthand-typist, as a plain one, but that on the whole we personally do not like beauty, and that it frightens us—except in fiction or safely framed in gilt in the National Gallery.—London Daily Mail.

## FRENCH OPINION HAS TURNED AGAINST DUEL

Great War, With Its Million and a Half Fallen, Has Made Old Gallic Punctilio a Broken Tradition

A change is perceptible in public opinion in France with regard to the moral aspect of duelling. The war, with its 1,500,000 graves of French heroes, has taught the lesson that French blood should not be spilled over trivial, often fanciful, notions of private honor, but should be regarded as sacred to the cause of patriotism. Thus, duelling would only be permissible in the gravest cases affecting a man's honor.

A trial which came before a Paris police court recently might have served as a test case in this respect, and it is to be regretted that it should have been upset by a legal quibble. Last September a more than usually fierce encounter took place between Comte Emanuel de Poret and M. Camille Lafarge. Pistols were first used—two shots each at 25 yards—then the combatants had recourse to their swords. M. Lafarge was wounded twice and Comte de Poret four times, but not sufficiently to warrant a cessation. At the 13th bout the Comte was again wounded in the arm, and the duel was then stopped.

The affair excited great interest, and the swordsmen and their seconds did not escape censure in the Press. The Minister of Justice then took action. The law forbidding duelling has long been allowed to slumber, though it must be recognized that the police invariably step in to prevent a duel which has been advertised beforehand. As a rule this only postpones the meeting, as determind antagonists can always find a quiet spot in the suburbs in which to right out the quarrel. Being too late to prevent the duel in question, the Minister ordered the two principals, with their four seconds, M. Renaud and M. de Galea on the one side, and M. Robert Bos and Captain Pierce Weisse on the other, to be summoned for unlawfully wounding and for complicity.

The case got no further than the preliminaries. Council Bloch argued that the Court was incompetent. The Court took this view and declared its incompetence to sit. This means that the affair will go before the Assizes, when counsel will have full latitude to make a moving appeal to the jury, after which the latter is pretty certain to take a lenient view of the charge.

## OFFICIALS WILL SEEK EMPLOYMENT PLANS

VANCOUVER, B.C., Feb. 21.—In an effort to solve unemployment problems in Western Canada, fifty officials of Government employment services will meet in convention here March 1 and 2. Bryce M. Stewart, director of employment services in Canada, will be present, and the following are among the delegates:

J. D. McNiven, president of the employment service council of Canada; R. B. Rigg and J. A. Bowman for Manitoba; T. M. Mallery and T. E. Tomsett for Saskatchewan; J. A. Mitchell, Alberta; J. H. McVetty, British Columbia.

Methods of relief will be discussed and definite plans formulated for the handling of unemployment.

**Unsafe for Prohibitionists**

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 21.—Because Windsor, Ontario, which had wanted the conference to meet there, was regarded as an unsafe place for William (Pussyfoot) Johnson, and other prohibition workers, leaders from Canada and the United States decided here yesterday that the international conference on prohibition, called for next October, should be held in Washington, D.C. Disorders that threatened when Johnson attempted to deliver a prohibition address at Windsor last year influenced the decision.

## LIQUOR QUESTION APPEARS AGAIN

Another Movement in Regard to Government Control Comes Before Manitoba House—Inquiry Is Proposed

WINNIPEG, Feb. 21.—The question of Government-controlled liquor stores was again before the Legislature this afternoon, when John Williams, Liberal member for Arthur, moved that a committee be appointed to investigate conditions and submit recommendations to the 1923 session of the house. Action was deferred.

In the course of his speech, Mr. Williams read a letter from Colonel William Grassie, president of the Moderation League, protesting against the passing of any such resolution, on the ground that the inquiry was unnecessary in view of the fact that the original petition of the league was signed by 50,000 electors. The resolution was denounced by Colonel Grassie as an attempt to sidetrack the issue, a vote on which at the earliest possible moment was demanded. It was stated that it was the intention of the league to present another petition to the Legislature with a full act attached.

Mr. Williams declared he strongly resented the charge that he was endeavoring to sidetrack the issue, and he also took exception to the use of the word "demand" in the letter, saying it smacked of intimidation.

A. E. Smith, Brandon, moved a resolution that Government printing work be allocated to offices that observed the 44-hour week and paid wages based on the award of the joint council of industry. He adjourned the debate.

## DEATH RATE IN U.S. SHOWS DECREASE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The death rate in the United States decreased to 1,306 per 100,000 population in 1920, from 1,496 per 100,000 in 1910, according to figures announced today by the census bureau.

All age groups showed a decline in death rate, but the most pronounced decrease was recorded in the figures covering infant mortality under one year of age, the 1920 rate being 9,660 per 100,000, compared with 13,083 per 100,000 in 1910, a decline of about 26 per cent.

## MR. BALFOUR DECLINES OFFERS OF HONORS

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—All the offers of special honors that have been tendered to him for his work as head of the British delegation at the Washington conference have been rejected by Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, says a London cable to The Mail and Empire.

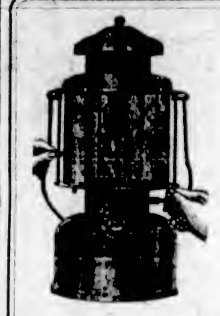
Last week King George offered him a peerage, but he declined the honor. This was the fourth time that he has refused a title. The King also offered to make him a Knight of the Garter.

## SOUTH AFRICA FACES DEFICIT FOR YEAR

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Hon. H. Burton, K.C., Minister of Finance for the Union of South Africa, today told the South African Parliament that he anticipated a deficit at the end of the fiscal year amounting to £1,900,000, according to Reuter's Capt Town correspondent.

The Finance Minister thought, however, it would be wrong to levy additional taxes, as he feared that the Government was already taking out of the people's pocket money required for developing the country.

Artichokes were introduced into England in the sixteenth century.

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# TWO JUMP OVERBOARD FROM OCEAN VESSEL

## Woman Passenger Flings Herself Into Sea From Buckeye State — Colored Steward Follows Two Hours Later

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Mrs. Alice M. Hills, Amherst, Mass., and Harold Holloway, colored, a waiter, flung themselves into the sea from the Matson liner Buckeye State within two hours of each other while the steamer was approximately 300 miles south of Los Angeles yesterday, according to a radio message received today from the vessel's master, Captain John T. Diggs. Captain Diggs' message gave no reason for the supposed suicides.

The Buckeye State stopped when Mrs. Hills threw herself overboard at 4:05 p.m., and a lifeboat was sent over the side. No trace of Mrs. Hills' body was found. Apparently the boat had hardly gotten under way again before Holloway leaped over the side. Another lifeboat was launched, but he had disappeared as completely as had Mrs. Hills before him. The Buckeye State is on her way to Baltimore from San Francisco.

# BLUE FUNNEL SHIP EXPECTED THURSDAY

Two vessels are inbound from Yokohama, and expected to reach here this week. The Protesilaus, of the Blue Funnel Line, is due on Thursday, Dodwell & Company announce, and is expected to arrive on time. She has some Oriental passengers and cargo for landing at this port.

The Arizona Maru, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha fleet, is also crossing from Yokohama, and is posted to reach quarantine on Saturday. She has passengers and freight for Victoria.

The O.S.K. steamer Arabia Maru, Rithet Consolidated report, is sailing for the Orient this afternoon at 5 o'clock from the Rithet piers. The vessel is due from Seattle in mid-afternoon.

# CANADIAN SERVICE TO IRISH PORTS

Beginning next month, the Montreal-Glasgow steamers of the Cunard and Anchor-Donaldson Lines will call both eastbound and westbound at Moville, the port of Londonderry, Ireland. It is many years since Canadian ships called at the Irish port and the new connections to be made will be of great convenience to Irish passengers who wish to reach the United States or Canada at extremely moderate rates.

The Saturnia, sailing from Glasgow on March 24, will stop at Moville on her way to Halifax, Canada, and Portland, Me. From the latter port railroads connect with all parts of the country. In May her terminal westbound port will be Montreal, also with numerous railroad connections to all points in Canada and the United States.

Sailing westward from Montreal on June 23, the Athenia will call at the northern Irish port on her way to Glasgow, and offers excellent accommodations at attractive rates to people contemplating a visit to the Emerald Isle. The Saturnia will also make an eastbound call at Moville on her July 14 sailing from Montreal.

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# EMPRESS OF JAPAN REPORTED DELAYED

The Canadian Pacific offices report that the liner Empress of Japan has been delayed in the Orient for some unknown cause. The vessel was reported as having sailed from Hongkong for this port on February 18. The Monteagle, which left Hongkong on the same day, is believed to be still on her way here, but no confirmation has yet been received by the local office.

The Japan had been expected to reach this port on March 8, and the Monteagle on March 11. The Empress of Russia is scheduled to sail from Hongkong tomorrow for Victoria, but it is considered doubtful, in the face of the evidence of renewed trouble, whether she will clear on time.

# JAPANESE LINE CUTS TRANSPACIFIC RATES

## Nippon Yusen Kaisha Slashes Thirty Per Cent From Passage Money With Change in Vessels

TOKIO, Feb. 21.—A reduction in passenger rates to Victoria, B.C., and Seattle, Wash., of approximately 30 per cent, was announced by the Nippon Yasen Kaisha today.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—The 30 per cent reduction in passenger rates announced by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha will not affect the other transpacific lines, according to a statement today by James King Steele, an official of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha.

"The coast shipping interests operating passenger carriers across the Pacific decided in conference here recently that there would be no change," Steele said. "We decided to let the Nippon Yusen Kaisha run wild, if it wanted to."

**Other Lines Not Worried**

SEATTLE, Feb. 21.—New reduced first-class passenger rates between Far Eastern and Puget Sound and British Columbia ports will become effective late in March coincident with the withdrawal from the trans-Pacific service of the 10,000-ton passenger liners Suwa Maru, Katori Maru, Kashima Maru and Fushimi Maru, it was said at the Seattle offices of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha today.

Officials of the Admiral Line and other lines engaged in the transpacific passenger traffic said today no reductions in passenger rates to meet the cuts made effective by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha were in immediate prospect on the larger ships.

The intermediate class vessels to be put in the Far Eastern Puget Sound service by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha have accommodations for 40 first class and 20 steerage passengers, according to officials of the line. The larger ships, to be transferred to the European service carry 130 first class, 56 second class, and 270 steerage passengers. All present accommodations in the Yokohama-London route have been booked until late next August, officers of the line here said.

**Four Fishermen Lost**

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 21.—Captain H. A. Smith and two members of the crew of the fishing smack Caldwell H. Colt, of Pensacola, which foundered last week during a storm in the Gulf of Mexico, have been picked up by passing vessels, one of which was the steamer Floriente, bound for Galveston, according to a wireless dispatch received last night. Another member of the crew of seven was picked up by the British tanker Acosta, on Saturday, and brought to New Orleans. The other four men, it is feared, were lost.


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# BESSIE DOLLAR BIDS REGARDED TOO HIGH

## Dollar Company Hesitates Over Tenders—Yarrows Believed to Be Low Bidders With About $40,000

That the tenders for the repair work on the steamer Bessie Dollar, in the judgment of the Robert Dollar Company, are all much too high, was said here yesterday to be the cause of the long delay in awarding the contract. Bids were all in the hands of Captain R. L. Morton, who is here from Vancouver in connection with the job, on Friday of last week, and were wired by him to the San Francisco headquarters of the line. It was expected at the time that announcement of the disposal of the work would be made next day, but, on the contrary, coast shipyards have been kept in suspense ever since. Capt. Morton was still without word from San Francisco last night, and could say nothing in explanation of the prolonged wait.

It is the general belief, however, in well-informed circles, that it is the high cost of all the tenders that is responsible. Of the bids submitted, it is claimed that Yarrows, Limited, of Esquimalt, figured the closest. Their tender, it is believed, was in the neighborhood of $40,000, possibly somewhat lower, so that they stand in a favorable position to get the job. Just what advantage it is to the Dollar Company to wait such a long time is difficult to see. Competition among British Columbia repair yards is keen enough to pare the bids to the utmost. It is extremely unlikely that any American concern could go lower, inasmuch as the damage was all to the upper works of the vessel, and the question of drydock fees, which have caused trouble before, would not enter into the matter.

# NARENTA RAN ASHORE OUTSIDE BELLINGHAM

## Refrigerator Vessel on Maiden Voyage Stranded Three Hours on Sinclair Island Monday Night

The refrigerator ship Narenta, of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Line, bound from Bellingham to Seattle, ran ashore Monday night on the east side of Sinclair Island, some ten or twelve miles southwest of Bellingham, but floated off with the rising tide three hours later and proceeded on her way under her own steam. Arrangements were made for the drydocking of the vessel immediately on her arrival at the Puget Sound port. She is not believed to be damaged very seriously.

The vessel had apparently just left Bellingham when the mishap occurred. It was about 8 o'clock when she struck, and a call was at once sent out for the U. S. life-saving cutter Snohomish, which left Port Angeles for the scene immediately. The ship was taking water at first, with tanks one and two punctured, and number three also leaking badly. Two hours later, however, the leaks were under control and no more water was entering the ship. It was just after low tide that she had stranded, and about 11 o'clock she succeeded in getting off, and proceeded to Seattle again with the Snohomish and a Seattle tug standing by.

**On Maiden Voyage**

The Narenta is a new vessel, on her maiden voyage from British ports to this Coast. She is commanded by Captain Dadd. She was at Vancouver loading for the United Kingdom last week, leaving there for Bellingham. She was slated to complete at Seattle and Portland with a mammoth cargo of apples, 120,000 boxes in all.

The Nebraska and the Nictheroy are sister ships of the Narenta. All three are newcomers to this Coast, and are the latest thing in refrigerator vessels, built at a cost of some $5,000,000 each. They are 462 feet long, 58 feet beam and 32 feet depth, oil-burning, with double reduction turbines. They are of 8,263 tons gross, and have a speed of 13 1-2 knots. The interior is a mass of intricate and expensive machinery, practically a floating ice-box. The holds and compartments are equipped with thirty miles of piping, with powerful fans in the depths of the holds keeping the air in constant circulation.

When the engineers go about the decks taking the various temperatures, they have to lift 165 thermometers out of the holds. In addition there are 101 thermometers at the points where the brine flows from the refrigerating plant into the piping, and another 101 at the points where the pipes bring the brine back to the plant. This makes a total of 375 thermometers which have to be watched continually.

The Nebraska was in port here several months ago.

**Month's Repair Job**

SEATTLE, Feb. 21.—A preliminary survey of the Royal Mail Steam Packet liner Narenta, which ran ashore last night on Sinclair Island while bound from Bellingham to Seattle, was made here today. It is expected that she will be here a month or more before being again ready for sea.

# PRINCESS ENA TAKES LUMBER TO SKAGWAY

The Canadian Pacific coastwise steamer Princess Ena left Vancouver yesterday for Skagway with a full cargo of 750,000 feet of lumber. This material is for the White Pass & Yukon Railway for construction of a new river steamer and two new barges. There is still some 4,000,000 feet of lumber to be sent north on this order.

# SHIPPING INFORMATION

**Wireless Report**
(Government Wireless)
Feb. 21, 8 A.M.

Estevan—Spoke str. E. D. Kingsley, San Francisco for Victoria, 8 p.m., 460 miles north of San Francisco; spoke str. Liebre, 8 p.m., 175 miles from Seattle, no direction given; spoke str. Senator, San Francisco for Portland, 8 p.m., 50 miles north of San Francisco; spoke str. Coaxet, Kobe for Seattle, 8 p.m., 90 miles from Seattle; spoke str. Yosemite, San Francisco for Port Gamble, 8 p.m., 90 miles from Port Gamble; spoke str. Hartwood, bound for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 287 miles north of San Francisco; spoke str. Siskiyou, Bellingham for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 315 miles north of San Francisco; spoke str. Monte Bello, Vancouver for Port San Luis, 8 p.m., 655 miles from Port San Luis; spoke str. Curacao, Seattle for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 220 miles from Seattle; spoke str. Chile Maru, bound for Seattle, 8 p.m., 280 miles from Estevan Point; spoke str. Pomona, Dalren for Seattle, 8 p.m., 570 miles from Seattle; spoke str. Koshun Maru, 8 p.m., due Port Townsend, February 22; spoke str. Manoa, Honolulu for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 1,633 miles east of Honolulu; spoke str. Wilhelmina, San Francisco for Honolulu, 8 p.m., 1,775 miles from San Francisco; spoke str. City of Vancouver, 8 p.m., 600 miles from Cape Flattery, outbound; spoke str. Makura, Honolulu for Suva, 8 p.m., 750 miles south of Honolulu; spoke str. Protesilaus, Yokohama for Victoria, 8 p.m., no position given.

**Wireless Report**
February 21, 6 P.M.

Estevan—Clear; northwest, light; 29.79; 41; smooth.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 29.98; 42; smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; northwest, light; 29.82; 31; smooth. Spoke Capt. A. F. Lucas 56 miles south of Columbia River, bound San Pedro.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; 30.06; 43; smooth. Passed in Princess Ena, northbound, 5:30 p.m.

Bull Harbor—Clear; northwest, light; 29.92; 46; smooth. 4.45 p.m., spoke Prince Rupert in Dean Channel, northbound, due Ocean Falls 5:40 p.m.

Dead Tree—Clear; calm; 30.27; 28; smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.09; 33; smooth.

**Steamer Movements**

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21.—Arrived: Birmingham City, Orient; Parana, France.

SEATTLE, Feb. 21.—Arrived: Victoria, Tacoma; Eldridge, Shanghai; Coaxet, Kobe; Narenta, Tyne; Nome City, San Francisco; Rainier, San Francisco; Arabia Maru, Tacoma. Sailed: Rainier, Tacoma; Nome City, Tacoma; Mongolian Prince, Manila; Everett, San Pedro; Blue Triangle, Boston.

TACOMA, Feb. 21.—Arrived: Pacifico, Valparaiso; Nome City, San Francisco. Sailed: Victoria, Cordova, via Seattle; Amur, Vancouver, B.C.; Cricket, San Francisco; motorship Sierra, San Francisco.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 21.—Arrived: Fleet tug Algorma, Balboa; Grine, Ensenada.

**On the Atlantic**

Cedric at New York from Liverpool.

Hudson at New York from Bremen.

Lapland at Monaco from New York.

**TIDES AT VICTORIA**
February, 1922

| Day | Time. | Ht. | Time. | Ht. | Time. | Ht. | Time. | Ht. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | H. M. | Ft. | H. M. | Ft. | H. M. | Ft. | H. M. | Ft. |
| 1 .. | 0:57 | 9.8 | 12:42 | 6.3 | 15:41 | 9.8 | 23:44 | 4.7 |
| 2 .. | 7:09 | 9.8 | 13:41 | 5.8 | 16:18 | 9.4 | 09:42 | 5.3 |
| 3 .. | 7:30 | 9.6 | 14:36 | 5.3 | 00:11 | 6.1 | 23:38 | 5.7 |
| 4 .. | ..... | .... | 8:05 | 9.7 | 15:20 | 4.7 | ..... | .... |
| 5 .. | ..... | .... | 8:08 | 9.8 | 16:21 | 4.1 | ..... | .... |
| 6 .. | ..... | .... | 9:00 | 9.0 | 17:09 | 3.4 | ..... | .... |
| 7 .. | ..... | .... | 9:31 | 9.1 | 17:59 | 2.8 | ..... | .... |
| 8 .. | ..... | .... | 10:10 | 9.2 | 18:40 | 2.3 | ..... | .... |
| 9 .. | ..... | .... | 11:17 | 9.4 | 19:24 | 1.9 | ..... | .... |
| 10 .. | 4:42 | 7.8 | 7:13 | 7.6 | 12:22 | 9.4 | 20:07 | 1.6 |
| 11 .. | 8:42 | 9.0 | 3:13 | 7.3 | 13:23 | 9.3 | 20:49 | 1.0 |
| 12 .. | 4:08 | 8.0 | 9:04 | 8.4 | 14:19 | 9.1 | 21:31 | 0.6 |
| 13 .. | 5:09 | 8.1 | 10:05 | 8.9 | 15:14 | 8.8 | 22:14 | 0.3 |
| 14 .. | 2:06 | 9.0 | 10:57 | 9.4 | 16:12 | 9.0 | 22:57 | 0.3 |
| 15 .. | 5:48 | 8.7 | 11:55 | 9.7 | 17:04 | 7.4 | 23:40 | 0.4 |
| 16 .. | ..... | .... | 0:31 | 0.8 | 12:57 | 4.4 | 19:03 | 6.9 |
| 17 .. | 0:52 | 0.4 | 7:01 | 8.9 | 14:01 | 4.0 | 20:44 | 6.7 |
| 18 .. | 1:04 | 0.4 | 7:42 | 8.9 | 18:04 | 3.7 | ..... | .... |
| 19 .. | ..... | .... | 3:32 | 8.9 | 19:04 | 3.4 | ..... | .... |
| 20 .. | ..... | .... | 9:08 | 9.3 | 17:90 | 3.1 | ..... | .... |
| 21 .. | ..... | .... | 9:48 | 9.7 | 17:51 | 2.8 | ..... | .... |
| 22 .. | 2:40 | 0.4 | 5:18 | 8.2 | 10:41 | 2.8 | 18:99 | 3.0 |
| 23 .. | 4:08 | 9.4 | 7:80 | 7.9 | 11:40 | 3.4 | 19:92 | 3.0 |
| 24 .. | 4:29 | 8.3 | 8:37 | 7.8 | 12:38 | 3.7 | 20:03 | 3.0 |
| 25 .. | 4:49 | 8.8 | 9:42 | 7.9 | 13:34 | 3.1 | 20:40 | 3.3 |
| 26 .. | 4:04 | 8.0 | 9:18 | 8.4 | 14:09 | 7.9 | 21:15 | 3.4 |
| 27 .. | 4:14 | 8.1 | 9:54 | 8.1 | 14:58 | 7.6 | 21:49 | 3.8 |
| 28 .. | 4:28 | 8.1 | 10:01 | 8.6 | 15:06 | 7.4 | 22:19 | 4.3 |

The Time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Equimalt—To find the depth of water on this sill of the drydock at any tide, add 19.9 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

**SUNRISE AND SUNSET**

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1922.

| Day | Sunrise | Sunset | Day | Sunrise | Sunset |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 .... | 7:44 | 5:10 | 15 .... | 7:31 | 5:34 |
| 2 .... | 7:42 | 5:11 | 16 .... | 7:19 | 5:35 |
| 3 .... | 7:41 | 5:13 | 17 .... | 7:17 | 5:36 |
| 4 .... | 7:39 | 5:14 | 18 .... | 7:15 | 5:38 |
| 5 .... | 7:37 | 5:17 | 19 .... | 7:14 | 5:39 |
| 6 .... | 7:35 | 5:18 | 20 .... | 7:12 | 5:41 |
| 7 .... | 7:34 | 5:20 | 21 .... | 7:11 | 5:42 |
| 8 .... | 7:32 | 5:22 | 22 .... | 7:09 | 5:44 |
| 9 .... | 7:31 | 5:24 | 23 .... | 7:07 | 5:46 |
| 10 .... | 7:29 | 5:25 | 24 .... | 7:06 | 5:47 |
| 11 .... | 7:27 | 5:27 | 25 .... | 7:03 | 5:49 |
| 12 .... | 7:26 | 5:29 | 26 .... | 7:01 | 5:51 |
| 13 .... | 7:24 | 5:31 | 27 .... | 6:59 | 5:53 |
| 14 .... | 7:22 | 5:32 | 28 .... | 6:57 | 5:55 |

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

**TRANSPACIFIC MAILS**
February, 1922
**China and Japan**

Empress of Asia—Mails close Feb. 2, 7 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 14, due Hongkong Feb. 24.

Silver State—Mails close Feb. 4, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 10; due Hongkong Feb. 26.

Kashima Maru—Mails close Feb. 10, 6 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 25; due Hongkong March 19.

Pine Tree State—Mails close Feb. 18, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 9; due Hongkong March 19.

Monteagle—Mails close Feb. 18, 7 p.m.; due Yokohama March 7; due Hongkong March 17.

Arabia Maru—Mails close Feb. 23, 8 p.m.; due Yokohama March 10; due Hongkong March 24.

Suwa Maru—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 18; due Hongkong April 1.

**Australia and New Zealand**

Sonoma—Mails close February 4, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco (Australia only).

Makura—Mails close Feb. 11, 9 a.m.; direct.

Tahiti—Mails close Feb. 28, 8 p.m.; via San Francisco.

**Honolulu**

February 7, 4, 6, 9, 16, 18, 23, 28, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco.

February 11, 9 a.m.; direct.

**MONEY AND EXCHANGE**

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Bar silver, 35¾d per ounce. Money, 3½ per cent. Discount rates: Short and three months' bills, 3¾ per cent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Sterling exchange firm at $4.37 for 60-day bills and $4.39⅝ for demand.

Bar silver, foreign, 63½c.
Canadian dollars, 97-16.
France, demand, 9.16.
Lire, demand, 3.92.
Belgium, demand, 9.78½; cables, 9.79.
Germany, demand, 45½; cables, 45½.
Holland, demand, 38.58; cables, 38.59.

Asia is exactly one-third of the world's land surface

**WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET**

WINNIPEG, Feb. 21.—The wheat market here today was influenced greatly by either buying or selling orders. Fluctuations were rapid, and the spread for the day between high and low was 4⅝c, but on the break the market again received good support, and values reacted. Early buying by seaboard interests sent the market up to a high of $1.46⅝ for May, but buying support was limited when an effort to take profits by scattered interests was made, and prices fell to around $1.43. Futures closed ⅝c to 1⅝ lower. On light offerings, and with only a fair demand existing, premiums of the cash wheat market were reported as unchanged.

The coarse grain situation showed little change, only a limited business being reported in all grains. Liquidation in flax sent prices down about 5c. Cash coarse grains were unchanged.

Inspections totalled 831 cars, of which 379 were wheat:—

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| May | 144⅝ | 146⅝ | 142 | 142⅝ |
| July | 130⅞ | 132⅝ | 128⅝ | 130⅝ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅝ |
| July | 49⅞ | 49⅞ | 49⅞ | 49⅞ |
| Barley— | | | | |
| May | 67 | 67 | 66⅝ | 66⅝ |
| July | ..... | .... | .... | 65 |
| Flax— | | | | |
| May | 246 | 248⅝ | 239 | 239 |
| July | 245⅞ | 248⅞ | 239 | 239 |
| Rye— | | | | |
| May | 109⅞ | 109⅞ | 107⅝ | 107⅝ |
| July | 102⅞ | 104 | 104⅞ | 104⅞ |

Cash prices: Wheat—1 hard, 144⅞; 1 nor., 144⅞; 2 nor., 139⅞; 3 nor., 132⅞; No. 4, 123⅞; No. 5, 117⅞; No. 6, 110⅞; feed, 104⅞; track, 144⅞.

Oats—3 cw., 50⅞; 3 cw. and extra 1 feed, 49⅞; 1 feed, 48⅞; 2 feed, 42⅞; rejected, 40⅞; track, 49⅞.

Barley—3 cw., 65⅞; 4 cw., 59⅞; rejected, 59⅞; feed, 58⅞; track, 68⅞.

Flax—1 nwc., 237⅞; 2 cw., 232⅞; 3 cw. and rejected, 998; track, 237⅞.

Rye—2 cw., 109⅞.

**NEW YORK CURB**
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| Stock— | Bid | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| **Industrials** | | |
| Asiatic | 12 | 13 |
| Allied Pk., com. | 5⅞ | 7 |
| Brit. Am. Tob. | 10⅞ | 11 |
| Cer. L. and P. | 65 | 68 |
| Cleveland Mo. | 30 | 31 |
| Durant Mo. | 22⅞ | 23⅞ |
| Goldwyn Pic. | 4⅞ | 4⅞ |
| N. A. Pulp | 2⅞ | 3⅞ |
| Phil. Morris | 11⅞ | 13 |
| Peerless | 84 | 87 |
| Perfection T. | 2⅞ | 3⅞ |
| Radio, com. | 3⅞ | 4⅞ |
| Radio, pfd. | 7⅞ | 8 |
| Sweets Amer. | 9⅞ | 9⅞ |
| Tob. Export | 6⅞ | 6⅞ |
| Un. Prof. Shar. | 1 13-16 | 1⅞ |
| Un. Retail Candy | 5⅞ | 6⅞ |
| U. S. Ship. Corpn. | 7 | 9 |
| Willys C. 8%, pfd. | 6⅞ | 9 |
| Cities Svc., com. | 174 | 175 |
| Cities Svc., pfd. | 88 | 89 |
| Cities Svc. Ekra | 19⅞ | 19 |
| **Oils** | | |
| Allied Oil | 3 | 4 |
| Allen Oil | 39 | 40 |
| Atl. Pete. | 4 | 4⅞ |
| Bos. Wyo. | 69 | 71 |
| Boone Oil | 16 | 19 |
| Carib. Syn. | 2⅞ | 3⅞ |
| Cosden | 6 | 8 |
| Dominion O. | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Elk Basin | 5⅞ | 6 |
| Fed. Oil | 1 | 1 1-16 |
| Glenrock | 95 | 97 |
| Inter. Pete. | 14⅞ | 14⅞ |
| Livingstone P. | 1⅞ | 1⅞ |
| Maracaibo O. | 21⅞ | 22 |
| Merrit | 3⅞ | 3⅞ |
| M. W. Ref. | 168 | 172 |
| M. W. Oil, com. | 2⅞ | 3 |
| Northwest | 15 | 15⅞ |
| Okmulgee | 1 | 3 |
| Omer | 72 | 78 |
| Pennock | 5⅞ | 6 |
| Prod. and Ref. | 3⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Ryan Cons. | 4⅞ | 5 |
| Salt Ck. Prod. | 13⅞ | 14 |
| Simms | 10⅞ | 10⅞ |
| Skelly Oil | 5 | 5⅞ |
| Sapulpa | 2⅞ | 3 |
| **Mines** | | |
| Big Ledge | 5 | 26 |
| Boss. Mont. | 41 | 15 |
| Caledonia | 5 | 6 |
| Col. Jerome | 18 | 20 |
| Cu. Copper | 23 | 24 |
| Cons. Cop. | 1⅞ | 1⅞ |
| Cresson | 2 13-16 | 2 15-16 |
| Dundee | 80 | 50 |
| Hecla | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Hollinger | 8⅞ | 9 |
| Howe Sound | 2⅞ | 3 |
| Kerr Lake | 3⅞ | 3⅞ |
| Magma Cop. | 30 | 30⅞ |
| Mother Lo. | 1 | 1⅞ |
| Mother L., new | 11⅞ | 12 |
| Mother L. Coal | 7⅞ | 7⅞ |
| Nipissing | 6 | 6⅞ |
| Ray Herc. | 2 | 3 |
| Un. East | 1 13-16 | 2 |
| Un. Verde Ext. | 27⅞ | 28 |

**CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET**
(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)
All Fractions in Eighths

| Wheat— | Open | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 145-0 | 147-4 | 144-2 | 146 |
| July | 137-3 | 139-2 | 136-6 | 139-2 |
| Corn— | | | | |
| May | 63-3 | 64-5 | 62-7 | 64-1 |
| July | 65-5 | 66-4 | 64-7 | 66 |
| Sept. | 67-4 | 68-4 | 67-2 | 68-1 |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 41-4 | 42-4 | 41-1 | 41-4 |
| July | 42-4 | 43-4 | 42-1 | 43-4 |

**YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE**
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Canadian sterling, $4.37.
New York sterling, $4.39.
New York funds, 8 per cent.

# HEAVY LUMBER SHIPMENTS

## Last Year's Water-Borne Exports of B.C. Product Largely Ahead of Previous Years

Increases in the export lumber business of the Province are shown in figures compiled by the Forest Branch of the Department of Lands for Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands. The total water-borne shipments for last year was 185,733,299 feet board measure, compared with 146,624,269 in the previous year, and with 108,872,260 feet in 1919.

Last year's shipments were as follows: To Australia, 27,275,928 feet; New Zealand, 4,553,602; South America, 1,317,825; China, 41,944,011; Japan, 52,447,160; United Kingdom and Continent, 13,592,562; South Africa, 2,931,969; India and Straits Settlements, 3,429,403; United States, 25,553,543; Philippine Islands and Hawaii, 1,158,805; West Indies and Cuba, 20,668; South Sea Islands, 941,422; Egypt, 8,566,400.

Shipments to the United Kingdom and the Continent showed a very large falling off, being 13,592,562 last year, compared with 61,217,805 the previous year, and Australian shipments also showed a decline, but these decreases were more than made up for by the great increases to the Orient, shipments to Japan showing an increase of nearly 49,000,000 feet; China, 24,000,000 feet; India and Straits Settlements, 8,000,000 feet; New Zealand, 4,500,000 feet; Egypt, 8,500,000 feet, and United States, 20,000,000.


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# What's at the Playhouses?

**DOMINION THEATRE** Is the wages of sin death? If sin has any wages, is there any back pay due you? These are vital questions which are answered in the big Paramount picture, "Back Pay," written by Fannie Hurst and shown by Cosmopolitan Productions at the Dominion Theatre all this week. Seena Owen and Matt Moore have the leading roles in one of the most dramatic stories ever filmed. Other prominent players in the cast include J. Barney Sherry, Ethel Duray and Charles Craig.

**COLUMBIA THEATRE** "A Small Town Idol" is Mack Sennett's seventh picture in six-reel proportions. It is his latest and his greatest. Five hundred beautiful girls participated in one of the scenes in Sennett's "A Small Town Idol," which is running at the Columbia Theatre today. Think of the number of future screen stars that are going to be seen in that feminine army.

**PRINCESS THEATRE** When the curtain rises on the third week's offering of the new stock company, theatregoers of this city are due for a treat, as "Broadway Jones," that greatly-heralded comedy-drama, is the attraction. High praise is due this play. If ever a play was written which combines everything from the highest pitch of comedy to the heights of dramatic intensity, this most successful of the Cohan plays does, and it will surely establish the Princess Players in the hearts of the Victoria audiences as a habit. The "story of chewing gum" fame, "Broadway Jones," deals with the young fellow who, having squandered all his patrimony and getting into debt, at his darkest hour of despair, inherits a chewing gum plant. How he rehabilitates the gum factory and regains his scattered fortune, and incidentally wins a bride, all go to make this play one of the most delightful, spontaneous and wholesome comedy-dramas of present-day theatricals. The splendid attendance last week has stimulated the members of the company to put forth their best efforts in this week's production. The scenes and mechanical arrangements are in the best condition to put on the play as near the original as possible. The Princess orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Benedict Bantly, has made a most pleasing feature of each performance.

**CAPITOL THEATRE** He never had a real fight in his life, said Will Rogers, but he has had several screen scraps and the most thrilling one, probably, occurred during the filming of the Paramount comedy, "One Glorious Day," in which he plays the leading role, with Lila Lee as leading woman, and Alan Hale as the villain, which is now at the Capitol Theatre. It is with Hale that Rogers has to indulge in a real rough and tumble fight, and as the former is a big man, well muscled and in fine physical condition, the latter had to do some tall hustling to keep from being damaged. When he had finished the scrap, he grinned and after puffing for a few minutes, observed: "I've been in places where I've had to do some arguing to get out without a fight, but I never had a regular scrap. I'd rather tell 'em a riddle or two and get their minds off the trouble."

**VARIETY THEATRE** Katherine MacDonald has hit the bull's-eye once more. The latest production of this remarkable star, "Her Social Value," is proving to be rare entertainment at the Variety Theatre this week. It is a delight to watch the performance of this actress on the screen, for she has such a deft touch in delineating character that her work cannot be classified other than as art itself. Each succeeding picture shows an improvement in her histrionic ability, and it is small wonder that no other star outranks her in popularity. "Her Social Value" is that perfect combination of a good story and good acting, in addition to masterly direction. From the first scene to the unexpected ending the story moves forward smoothly and logically, holding the suspense of the spectator at a white heat until the denouement is reached. It is pictures such as this that increase the ranks of the motion picture fans by the hundred and thousand.

## TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS

**The Stage**
Princess—"Broadway Jones."
**The Screen**
Capitol—"One Glorious Day."
Columbia—"A Small Town Idol."
Dominion—"Back Pay."
Variety—"Her Social Value."
Royal Victoria—"All's Fair in Love."

## At Royal Victoria

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## BUILT PARIS DANCE HALL FOR IBANEZ'S GREAT PRODUCTION

REX INGRAM

One of the famous Parisian dance palaces of pre-war days—and which since has become the target for reformers' crusades—was reconstructed on the grounds of Metro's West Coast studios in Hollywood, California, as a setting for one scene of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," the colossal Rex Ingram production of the world-famous novel by Vincente Blasco Ibanez, showing at the Capitol Theatre all next week.

The scene shows vividly the mad dance craze which struck Paris immediately before the European cataclysm. Every detail was faithfully carried out according to plans of Jacques d'Auray, who handled the French technicalities of the production.

## You May Have Kidney Trouble and Not Know It

If your back aches and you suffer from dragging pains, it is an evidence your kidneys may not be acting just right. What you need is a course with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They contain both Mandrake and Butternut, and act very beneficially upon the liver and kidneys. "I was bothered a great deal with my kidneys, but got quick relief from Dr. Hamilton's Pills. My trouble manifested itself by pain in the back and by constant headache. I quickly recovered after using a few boxes of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They brought me health, strength and vigor." Sold everywhere. 75 cents, or The Catarrhozone Co. Montreal. (Advt.)

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## MAESTRO KNOCH, OF SAN CARLO COMPANY, IS CAPABLE LEADER

The new general conductor of the San Carlo Grand Opera of this season is no less a personage than Maestro Ernesto Knoch, admitted by the critics of Europe and of America to be one of the most thorough musicians wielding a baton today.

In obtaining Maestro Knoch for the San Carlo organization impresario Fortune Gallo has followed out his usual policy of placing the San Carlo productions on a higher plane each succeeding year. Under the masterful leadership of Maestro Knoch the San Carlo Grand Opera orchestra has become a splendid body of musicians of more than ordinary calibre.

Maestro Knoch first came to the United States to conduct with the Century Opera Company at the Century Theatre in New York, but before then had become famous especially as the conductor of Wagnerian operas, in the leading opera houses of Europe. He declares that he owes much of his musical education to Felix Mottel, the noted Wagnerian conductor. It was through the assistance of Mottel that Maestro Knoch was induced to go to Bayreuth where he met Frau Cosima and Siegfried Wagner. Maestro Knoch first conducted at Carlsruh, then at Strassburg and other places in Germany and finally at Colon where he achieved his distinguished success, not only in Wagner's works, but also in the productions of the modern composers, including "Puccini."

## "BIFF! BING! BANG!" OPENS AT ROYAL ON MONDAY NEXT

With all the talk about the great Canadian drama, and the search for the genuine article in its native haunts, it is a wonder that the learned searchers have not stumbled upon the "Dumbells" and their truly Canadian product, "Biff, Bing, Bang." Here is something, by, with and for, Canadians, which, not only has found favor with out soldier boys overseas, but has proved its entertainment value by playing two years in Canada, with as long runs as twenty-five weeks in Toronto and eight weeks in Montreal.

Not satisfied with their local triumph, the "Dumbells" invaded New York, where their offering was received with even greater acclaim than in Canada, proving the old adage about a prophet and his country.

## CHARITY BALL WILL BE SEASON'S EVENT

**Function to Take Place on Thursday Evening at Empress Hotel Will Aid Protestant Orphans' Home**

Final plans for the ball, to take place tomorrow evening at the Empress Hotel, under the auspices of the Native Sons of B. C., Post No. 1, have been made, and without doubt the affair, which is one of the largest pre-Lenten functions, will be one of the events of the season.

The dance has been in the hands of a very capable committee for some time, and members representing the Native Daughters, Post No. 3, the Rotary Club, the Kiwanis Club, have combined to give the aid of their respective associations for the complete financial and social success of the ball. The proceeds will be given to the Protestant Orphans' Home, and will be used for some needed repairs on the building.

The dance programme is as follows:

1. Waltz ..... "Love Ship"
2. Fox-Trot ..... "Whistle the Blues Away"
3. One-Step ..... "Smilin'"
4. Waltz ..... "Three o'Clock in the Morning"
5. Fox-Trot ..... "I Ain't Nobody's Darlin'"
6. Waltz ..... "Village by the Sea"
7. Fox-Trot ..... "Canadian Capers"
8. One-Step ..... "Makin Time in Dixie"
9. Scottische ..... "Tucky Home"
10. Fox-Trot ..... "Catalina"
11. Waltz ..... "Trail of Dreams"

Supper Extras
1. .....
2. .....
3. .....

12. Fox-Trot ..... "At Sundown"
13. Waltz ..... "Little Crumbs of Happiness"
14. Fox-Trot ..... "The Sheik"
15. One-Step ..... "Rosemary"
17. Fox-Trot ..... "Wabash Blues"
18. Waltz ..... "Ole Sol Mio"
19. Fox-Trot ..... "Ten Little Fingers, Ten Little Toes"
20. One-Step ..... "Sunshine"
21. Fox-Trot ..... "Snow Flake"
23. Waltz ..... "When We Meet Again"

## LOGGING ON ISLAND BEGINS TO BE ACTIVE

### Encouraging News of Revival in Important Industry Comes From Many Points North of Victoria

NANAIMO, Feb. 21.—While large numbers of small mills are idle and managers of larger plants report that market conditions are most unsatisfactory, logging is reviving in various parts of the Island. Many camps are reopening now, according to H. W. Goggin, of Simon Leiser & Co., wholesale grocers, who is a weekly visitor to Nanaimo, after making a survey of the Island industrial conditions for his firm.

These are some of the developments which should mean an early Spring boom in business for the city and Island:

On the Cowichan Lake line of the E. & N. Railway, the Island Logging Company, a branch of the Puget Sound Lumber Company, is now putting in its camps, constructing buildings and getting in equipment. More men are being taken on until the maximum number of more than 200 will be reached in May.

The Mayo Lumber Company at Sahtlam, which has been closed for a year, is now reopening and taking on a hundred men.

M. Hemmingsen is opening up his logging camps again at Cowichan Lake to cut timber for the Victoria Lumber Company at Chemainus. About 100 men are being put into his camps.

Cameron's Genoa Logging Company is now working a camp at the Lake and is putting 50 men into the woods.

The James Logging Company, working on the Empire limits, is now starting to ship logs and employing 200 men.

"By June 1, 600 men will have been put in the woods along the Cowichan Lake line alone," said Mr. Goggin.

At Shawnigan Lake the mills of the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company have now started operations again.

The Timberland Timber Company, at the head of Oyster Bay, is now operating and taking on 75 men.

Practically all the men who are being taken on by the Island logging camps and mills are brought from Vancouver, one of the lumber men explained today.

The Oyster Bay Canning Company, organized by local capital at Ladysmith, started manufacturing with a payroll of more than twenty last week, it was announced Saturday. The company is putting up "Little Native" brand clams, clam bouillon, minced clams and oyster soup, to fill orders from the Prairies and San Francisco.

## CONCERT IS GIVEN IN COLWOOD HALL

COLWOOD, Feb. 21.—An excellent performance in aid of a family in need was given by the "Three K" Concert Party at Colwood Hall tonight. That the large audience enjoyed the show was evidenced by the generous applause which greeted each item. The concert was followed by a dance, for which the "Three K" orchestra played, adding much to the enjoyment of the evening. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening.

## CITY COUNCIL ITEMS

NANAIMO, Feb. 21.—At last night's meeting of the City Council estimates from the School Board and the Sewer Committee were submitted, the former amounting to $54,902 and the letter $10,058.02. Both these estimates were referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and inclusion in the estimates if thought desirable.

In the Sewer Committee's estimates the work is, with one or two exceptions, all in areas which are well built up, and for this reason it was thought that if at all possible the sections outlined should be installed during the year.

In connection with the School Board estimates it was pointed out that the amount is $5,000 over the estimate of last year, but His Worship assured the Council that the accounts could hardly be reduced any finer, and that they would not amount to more than an extra two mills.

Mr. T. D. James was appointed accountant at the City Hall. There were twenty-four applications received. Mr. James is a local man and has had ten years' experience at accountancy with a local bank.

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ALL NEXT WEEK
One Week Only
Great Moments in a Great Picture

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Two Shows Daily
Matinee at 2:30 P.M. Evening at 8:30.
Prices—Matinee, 50c; Loges, 75c. Evening, Main Floor, 75c; Balcony, 50c; Loges, $1.00.
All Seats Reserved
Seat sale starting tomorrow, Thursday, at Capitol Box Office, from 10 A.M. to 10 P.M.

## DEATHS IN NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Feb. 21.—The death occurred in the local hospital Sunday of Julia Scannell, a resident of Cedar District, near Extension, for the past 30 years. The deceased was a native of Gibraltar, and is survived by two sisters, Mrs. West Brown and Miss Nora Scannell, residing on the farm.

The death occurred in the Nanaimo Hospital Sunday, after a short illness, of Jane Pickup, wife of Mr. Thomas Pickup, a well-known resident of Northfield. The deceased was a native of Platt Bridge, Lily Lane, Lancashire, Eng., aged 39 years, and is survived by her husband and eleven children.

The remains of the late Mrs. Grace May, whose death occurred at Wellington District last week, were laid at rest yesterday afternoon in the Nanaimo Cemetery, the Rev. Mr. Lister conducting the funeral service. The pallbearers were Messrs. T. McMaster, S. Dimes, F. Dix and J. Vipond.

**Delorme Case Postponed**

MONTREAL, Feb. 21.—The enquete of Rev. Father Delorme on a charge of murdering his brother Raoul was this morning postponed until February 28.

## MARY GARDEN TIRES OF HER DIRECTORSHIP

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Mary Garden intends to resign her position as director of the Chicago Opera Company at the close of the current season, if someone can be found to take her place, but she expects to continue with the company as an artist, "where she belongs and knows she belongs," it was announced today by her secretary, Howard E. Potter.

Mr. Potter said Miss Garden would make no definite decision until she had conferred next month at Chicago with Samuel Insull, the new president of the Chicago Opera Company.

The diva had received a $250,000 offer from a New York manager for a concert tour, and had many other projects which she had found it impossible to carry out, he said, because of the demands on her time exacted by the position as director of the opera company, and the attending "responsibilities, annoyances, troubles and harassments," of that position.

**Up-Island Police Cases**

NANAIMO, Feb. 21.—In the City Police Court yesterday morning a local resident was fined $50 and costs for being drunk on the street Sunday night, and two violators of the Prohibition Act were each fined $105 for having liquor on premises other than a private dwelling. In the Provincial Court yesterday a Chinese resident of Nanaimo was sentenced to six months in jail for keeping an opium joint.

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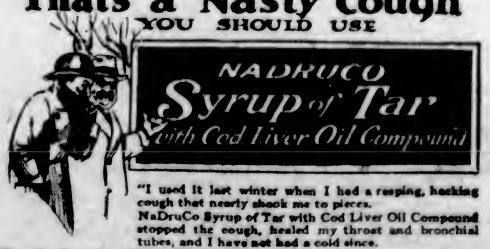


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No advertisement charged to account for less than $2.00. Phone 11.

## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

### MARRIAGES

CREAGH-DICKSON—On February 20, 1922, in Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria, B.C., by the Very Rev. Dean Quainton, Miss Jean H. Dickson to Mr. Louis L. Creagh, Vancouver, B.C.

### DEATHS

CLAYTON—In this city, Feb. 13, 1922, Mia Mary Jane Clayton, aged 63, beloved mother of Miss Grace M., Walter and Bert Clayton.

The funeral took place Feb. 17, from the parlors of the Booth Undertaking Co., 1422 Bellevue Ave., Seattle, Wash. Interment was made in Washelli Cemetery.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Culline wishes to thank the many friends, members of the Philedrivers' Association, and members of the Ancient Order of Foresters for their kind messages of sympathy and floral tributes sent during her sudden bereavement.


### FUNERAL DIRECTOR

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

C.P.R. CLUB—Military 300, dining-room, Empress Hotel, Friday, 24th February, 7.30 prompt. Good scrips. Admission 25c.

DON'T Forget! — Trainmen's Dance (B.R.T.), Alexandra Ballroom, Feb. 22nd. Hunt's 5 piece orchestra, buffet supper. Dancing, 9.30 to 1.

DANCE, Knights of Columbus Hall, 202 Government St., 8 to 12, Wednesday, Feb. 22nd, under auspices Saghara Council, Y.M.I., in aid of the poor. Admission $1c. Orord's Orchestra.

LADIES' Auxiliary, Boys' Naval Brigade—Military 300, tonight, in Trades Hall, Broad Street. 15 prizes. Reserved tables. Phone 3228R or 4367.

MASQUERADE and Hard Times Dance, Marigold Hall, Friday, Feb. 24. Interurban trains leave city 7.30 p.m. Harmony 5 piece orchestra. Admission, including refreshments, 50c.

MILITARY 600, Drake Hall, Friday evening, 8.30. Good prizes. Refreshments.

ROYAL Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes. All old members wishing to join the above society kindly leave names and addresses at Thomson's Fish Store, 1421 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C.

REGULAR meeting, Ladies' Auxiliary, St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, Caledonia Hall, Thursday, Feb. 23rd. Members bring refreshments. Members St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society cordially invited.

THE usual Thursday night's entertainment at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, will take the form of a dance this week. Price 25c.

### PERSONAL 58

INFORMATION urgently requested as to the address of E. F. Nicholls, late of rear Chambers and Princess, Victoria. Reply A. E. Fox, 527 McMillan Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

I WILL not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife after this date. F. D. Cameron, 2235, Forbes Street.

### WANTED—MALE HELP 2

A FEW loggers wanted. Apply A. Cosh, Metchosin. Phone Belmont 1304.

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MAKE money at home—$15 to $50 paid weekly for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct you and supply you with work. Wealdon Showcard Service, 32 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

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WANTED—Married men on farm; must be competent; steady employment. A. A. Dougan, Cobble Hill, E. & N. Ry.

WANTED—Fully qualified druggist as dispenser, whole time. State age, qualifications, experience and salary required. Preference given to married man. Box 2880, Colonist.

WANTED—A man with a little capital to go in the fishing business. Big profit for the right party. Absolutely the best money making business of the day if you are willing to work to make money. See me at 306 Yates Street, Room 3, afternoon.

WANTED—A first-class baker and confectioner. To a painstaking and capable man good wages will be given. English Bakery, Victoria.

WANTED—Salesman with accountants' experience to handle well known office appliance on Vancouver Island, on straight commission basis. Apply, giving full particulars, past experience. Box 1171, Colonist.

WANTED—Salesman—A self respecting salesman whose ambition is beyond his present occupation might find more congenial employment with us, and at the same time double his income. We require a man of clean character, sound in mind and body, of strong personality, who would appreciate a fair position with a last growing concern where industry would be rewarded with far above the average earnings. Married man preferred. Apply to E. A. Smith, over Royal Bank Bldg., Government street, Room 3.

### WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

CAPABLE cook-general wanted. Phone 3323R.

WANTED—Housekeeper for two men only. Apply, particulars first letter, wages wanted. H. Fairclough, Shiney P.O., Sidney.

WANTED—Bright willing person as working housekeeper and attention to invalid, small family, every consideration to suitable applicant. Box 2324, Colonist.

WANTED—Woman for housework, 2323 Grahams Street.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

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JAPANESE boy, 13, going to school, wants a position as housewerker. Phone 1722.

WANTED—To place on a farm, two willing, capable, well-educated boys, 15 and 16, where board and lodging would be equivalent for labor. P.O. Box 1114, Victoria.

WANTED—Work on poultry or stock ranch for few months; small or no wages, object, experience. Lisle, 406 Montreal Trust Bldg., Winnipeg, Man.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

AN Englishwoman wants position in home, or would keep house for small family. Box 2721, Colonist.

A LADY wishes to act as traveling companion to England in return for expenses. References exchanged. Box 7734, Colonist.

CAPABLE Stenographer would answer phone, etc., for desk room. Box 2803, Colonist.

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STENOGRAPHER, five years' experience, desires position, temporary or permanent. Phone 6672L.

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WOMAN wants work by the day. Phone 6473L.

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### TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

FOR Rent—Store, with good living accommodation; Oak Bay. Apply 1573 Redfern Street.

STORE, or could be used as garage for two cars. 810 Pandora. Phone 5784.

TO Rent—Part of furnished office; central location, with use of phone, $10. P.O. Box 273.

### WANTED TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 12

WANTED—Small, cheap workshop, with gas, light, water, phone. 7665L.

### FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

DIGGONIRM—"Without frugality one cannot be rich—with it very few would be poor." Diggon's, printers, stationers and engravers, 1210 Government Street. Round package linen notepaper (108 folded sheets), special, 35c.

A FUMED oak dining suite, $40; roll-top desk, $27; Singer drop-head sewing machine; golden oak china cabinet, range; all as good as new. 1241 Oak Bay Ave.

A FAMILY ice cream freezer, $7; clothes wringer, $5; both in first-class condition. 822 Irving Road.

VARIETY of berry bushes, including the famous Phenomenal and Himalaya blackberry, also St. Regis raspberries and black and red cherry currants, rhubarb, etc. Public Market, Stall #2, or Rudd, 791 Burnside Road.

ALL black soil and manure, delivered; special rates for large orders. Phone 168. Apply 1243 Kings Road.

ALBION range, "Occident," 4-hole, with hobs, suitable for camp; a snap, $19.50. Island Exchange, 742-747 Fort Street.

AZALEA Mollis, Azaleas Ghent, Kalmia Latifolia, Rhododendrons in 50 sorts. All above in bud, prices on application, per 100 or 1,000. Andromedas in variety. Evergreen Shrubs in great variety: Hardy Heaths in 25 sorts. Clematis in pots, 54 sorts; Climbing Plants in 20 sorts, in pots. Evergreen Shrubs for lawns, for sea coast, for underwood and game coverts, for undershade, for rock work, for hedges. Parties wanting any of the above must order and pay before March 15. A special price will be given for 100 and 1,000 orders. Guaranteed all good stuff. Will be delivered in April, so get your grounds in good order to plant. The Rhododendrons and Azaleas are extra fine, and in many sizes. James Simpson, 611 Superior, Victoria. Phone 1337.

A LARGE selection of English candies, including Pascall's Barley Sugar, and Cairo Turkish Delight, at Pippard's, the fruit specialist.

BARGAINS in good clean rugs, carpets, and runners. Victoria Carpet Washing Co., 571 Fisgard. Phone 7088.

BEAUTIFUL enclosed cabinet sewing machine, light running, special, only $20. 713 Yates.

BARGAIN—Drop-head Singer sewing machine, in A1 condition, $20.50. Oddy's, 1317 Douglas Street.

PIANO BARGAINS

Small Overhead Expenses Enable Me to Offer the Best Piano Bargains.
BEAUTIFUL SELL PIANO in latest model iron frame.
GERHARD HEINTZMAN UPRIGHT GRAND.
HEINTZMAN & CO PLAYER, the very best in players.
ORGAN, with five complete sets of goods, etc.
BENEDICT BANTLY
At the Studio, 1123 Fort St. Phone 2730

COLLIE dog pup, 5 months, gent's Massey-Harris bicycle, brass bed; chiffonier, etc. 1700 First Street.

### FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

BLACK soil for sale, extra good, and free from stones. Phone 1884.

CANADA PRIDE range, 6-hole, almost new, double knot waterfront, snap, $12.50.

MONARCH malleable range, 6-hole, knot waterfront, first-class condition, snap, $82.

JACK'S STOVE STORE, 703 Yates

ERMINE fur scarf for sale, very reasonable. Phone 4125R.

FOR Sale—Rugs, 2 Wiltons, 1 Brussels; sectional bookcase; sanitary couch. Phone 4917R.

FOR Sale—10 tons No. 2 hay, immediate acceptance. Phone 3205.

FOR Sale—Solid oak roll-top desk, $30; oak sideboard, like new, $35; .32 Remington repeating rifle, $20. Phone 7261L.

FIVE Cyphers incubators, two coal-burning Candas brooder-stoves and a sectional brooder-stove house. Many egg-laying contest winners raised in above. Dr. Blackman, R.M.D., Sidney.

FOR Sale—Maple peas, for seed, $7 per hundred. Apply Brydon, Royal Oak.

FOR Sale—Tapestry carpet square, 9x12, $14, also one or two other pieces of furniture. No dealers. Phone 7714R.

FOR Sale—Secretaire, Mission oak writing desk and bookcase combined, like new; cost $95, will sell for $35. Phone 6322.

FUMED oak Morris chair, with loose leather cushions, in good order, $13.50. Island Exchange, 742-747 Fort Street.

FUMED oak gramophone and records; 2 beautiful solid oak extension table; solid oak sideboard. Phone 2326Y.

FOR Sale—Black soil, $5 per load. Phone 1132R.

FOR Sale—Hammerless C. L. Smith double-barrel gun, 10 gauge, 32 inch, new, price $75; or exchange for chickens. Box 2769, Colonist.

FUMED oak roll-top desk, in splendid condition, $32.50. Oddy's, 1317 Douglas Street.

FOR Sale—Huenscher cornet and case, $22; ships lamps, $7.50 pair; auto and carriage lamps, $1.75; inset banjo, $12.50; real leather club bags, $9.75; real leather suitcases, $12.50; long leather straps, 25c; Chevalier field glasses, $12.50; complete suitcases, 65c; Waltham watches, $7.50; twin diamond rings, $17.50; pearl sunburst brooch, $14.75; French pearl necklace, $12.50, purpose hide shoe laces, 10c; leather gloves, 45c; playing cards, 25c; bicycle outer tires, new, $1.25; inner tubes, 75c; bicycle pedals, new, $1.25 pair; large brass bicycle pumps, 75c; boy's bicycle, with new tires, and girl's bicycle, the two, $21.75. Jacob Aaronson's New & Second-Hand Store, 231 Johnson Street. Phone 733.

FOR Sale—Men's good overcoats, $2.50, all sizes; odd pants or coats, $1 up; ladies' coats and frocks, cheap; at the Jacob Aaronson's Second-Hand Clothing Store, 2616 Douglas, corner Hillside. Phone 733.

GARDEN tools, cut rate prices; overstocked. Eastern Stove Co., 848 Fort Street.

GOOD quality milk, 18 pints, $1. Phone 7732R2.

HAND machine snap, self threading shuttle, modern, for quick sale, $10. 718 Yates.

COAL

IF you want the best try us. Phone 6753. C. LAW. Prompt delivery.

JONES, chicken house and ladder factory, 327 Fort Street, Victoria. Chicken houses in sections, garden swings, garden seats, dog kennels, boats, trelling clothes hangers, plate racks, meat safes, medicine cupboards, babies' corrals; anything made to order. Phone 630.

LARGE tables, with four drawers, suitable for office, 4 ft. 10 in. x 3 ft. 2 in. $10 the two. Phone 5784.

LARGE French range for sale. Apply Victoria Phoenix Brewery.

LARGE safe for sale. Apply Victoria Phoenix Brewery Co.

LONG, substantial table, 3 ft. x 3 ft., suitable for workroom or store, a snap, $8.50. Island Exchange, 742-747 Fort St.

LARGE Whitney baby buggy, suit twins, or roomy for one; good condition. Phone 2943Y.

MENDELSSOHN piano, perfect condition, $230 cash. Phone 4137R.

MANURE for sale; plowing done. Phone Noble, 4786X1.

MIMEOGRAPH machines (Edison-Dick) and supplies. Exclusive Victoria agents at 24 Winch Bldg. Phone 1313.

MRS JOWITT, 321 Fort Street, buys and sells the nicest ladies', gents' and children's second-hand clothing. Call anywhere, any time. Special—Wanted, gents' clothing. Phone 2131.

MANURE for sale, delivered. Phone 2745R2.

MANURE for sale, and plowing done. Phone 3796.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $2 per week. Phone 4689. 1616 Douglas Street.

FOR SALE

NEW SUITS, NEW COATS, NEW DRESSES, NEW SKIRTS.
At the Lowest Prices.
Also a Few Garments to Clear; Very Reduced Prices.
Your Credit Is Good If Not Convenient to Pay All Cash. We Invite Your Inspection.
THE FAMOUS STORE, LTD.
632 Yates Street Phone 4061
732 Fort St. CITY MART Phone 1428
SPECIALS

OFFICE safe, $22; oak rocker, $4; chest drawers, $7; 4 oak dining chairs, $20; oak dining table, $12; morris chair, $17; toilet set, $3.50; baby buggies and go-carts from $4 up.
We buy or exchange good furniture
Easy terms Monthly payments

OAK roll-top desk, 3 ft. 2 in., with good swivel chair to match, in first-class order, only $30. Island Exchange, 745-747 Fort Street.

PIANO for sale, almost new, $300 cash. 643 Speed Ave.

REPAIRS and accessories for all makes of sewing machines. 713 Yates.

SINGER sewing machine for rent, $1.50 Yates, Phone 232. Also electric motors for rent.

SIX dining-room chairs and carver, oak and leather (English), $30; also other furniture and new house linen. Phone 5738L.

SHINGLES, Shingles—120,000, good, and cheap. 2347 Cook Street. Phone 6527L2.

SQUARE dining table, 3.3x4, in good order, $7.50. Island Exchange, 745-747 Fort Street.

SNAP—Bed-lounge, in A1 condition, $9.75. Oddy's, 1317 Douglas Street.

SWEET pea seed, 1921 crop, Spenser variety. If you want early bloom, sow as early as garden can be worked. 100 per packet; 12 packets, named, all different, for $1; sent free anywhere. Extract from the grower, Fred Cousins, Ruby Road, Gordon Head, and Public Market, Victoria.

THREE good wood beds, cheap. 702 Fine Street.

USE AMBERINE to polish and clean furniture and floors. Save 50 per cent on your polish.

WOOD and corrugated iron buildings, also quantity of used sawn lumber and railroad ties. Apply to Sir John Jackson (Canada) Ltd., Dallas Road.

1½ HORSEPOWER gasoline engine, in perfect running order; will sell, or trade for work horse or milk cow. Wm. Allan, 2323 Rose Street.

1 COMPLETE set of Stoddard's Lectures of the World, $25; 1 garden hose, 75 ft., $4.50. Apply Box 1212, Colonist.

HOTBED SASH

3 FEET by 6 feet, only $2.25 each, delivered in the city. Large stock of front and interior doors; rough and dressed lumber, etc. City or country orders receive careful attention. The Moore-Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd. Mill, phone 291. Factory, phone 2897.

4 FT. 3 in. W. Enamel Bed, 2-in. posts, with coil spring and hair mattress, as new, $17.50. Island Exchange, 742-747 Fort St.

5 ROOMS of good furniture for sale; no dealers. Phone 4608Y after 6 o'clock.

### WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ALL your furniture and other goods Cash paid any your home, or sell on commission. Phone City Market Auction, 3484.

ATTENTION! — Mrs. Hunt, wardrobe dealer, of Winnipeg and Calgary, is open to buy and sell high-class ladies', gents' and children's clothing. Special offers for gentlemen's clothes. We pay spot cash to any amount. Business done strictly private. Mrs. Hunt will call herself to any address, or call at 752 Fort Street. Phone 4521; after 3 p.m., 4242L.

CANOE wanted; must be reasonable and in good condition. Phone 3029R.

CALL 5196—We pay best prices for bottles and junk; also stoves, furniture, tools, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere. Try us. 1421 Store Street.

DON'T hesitate—Phone 5406 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representatives will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 742-747 Fort Street.

FURNITURE, or anything else you have, we will buy. Good prices paid. Phone 3323.

FURNITURE of 4 or 5 rooms. Will buy part or whole. Phone 5737 before 9 a.m. or after 7 p.m.

MRS. SHAW buys used clothing at highest market prices. 732 Fort Street. Phone 401.

YES, THERE'S A REASON
Phone 3623

MRS. WARDALE, the name with a reputation, who will call and buy ladies', gents' and children's clothing, bedding, etc.
1321 DOUGLAS STREET
Block below H. B. Co.

THE Veterans buy cast-off gentlemen's clothing, tools, furniture, guns. Call anywhere. Pay top prices. Phone day 4823, night, 5402R.

WANTED—Dress form, size 38; must be in good condition. Box 4012, Colonist.

WANTED—Second-hand poultry netting. Apply Box 4013, Colonist.

WANTED—Disc harrow, for two horses. Box 4000, Colonist.

WANTED—Six loads good garden soil. State price, delivered, 447 Cloverdale Avenue, Esquimalt.

WANTED, immediately, three old Joists, 2 inches by 12 inches, 18 feet long, or two, if 2 inches by 18, same length; must be seasoned. Dragon Printing Co.

WANTED—Two small blackboards. Box 3902, Colonist.

WANTED—Office desk; must be cheap. Box 2812, Colonist. Phone 7024L1.

WANTED—We buy good-class furniture, carpets, ranges, etc. Phone 2353.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags for wiping machinery. Colonist Job Printing Department.

WANTED—Old bicycles and parts, in any condition. Victory Wreckage Cycle Works. Phone 732, 841 Johnson Street. Will call at any address.

WANTED—Cameras to repair, reasonable. Phone 2280X. Browning. 13 years' experience.

WE buy bottles and junk; also stoves, tools and furniture. Work call anywhere and pay best prices. Phone 2136.

WANTED—Scenarios and short stories adaptable for motion pictures. Send manuscripts to Literary Service Bureau, 227 Rogers Building, Vancouver.

DIAMONDS
Silver Antiques
Bought for Cash
Phone 3173 528 Pemberton Bldg.

### ROOM AND BOARD WANTED 16

WANTED—Board and room for elderly gentleman, with use of sitting-room; must be comfortable, convenient, reasonable. State monthly terms, also situation. Box 3752, Colonist.

### ROOM AND BOARD 15

AT Beacon Hill—Room and board for couple. 852 Douglas. Phone 3213R.

FOR business people and married couples; rates reasonable. 1144 Rockland Ave. Phone 7325Y2.

FURNISHED room, with board, in comfortable home, open fireplace, steam heat; central. 1037 McClure street.

GOOD home for children above five. For terms, apply 750 Gorge Road.

ROOM and board for business girl; nice private home; close in. Phone 4607X.

ROOM and board, in Victoria West, for two man at reasonable rates. Apply Box 3320, Colonist.

ROOM and board with private family; good location. Particulars phone 4703X.

ROOM and board, $7.25; private. 2035L.

THE Bon-Accord, 243 Princess Avenue—Room and board; terms moderate. Phone 2327L.

### FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED 17

BUSINESS woman wants bedroom; plenty of hot water essential. Box 3274, Colonist.

### FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

A LARGE bedroom, suit two friends, on car line, breakfast and supper optional. 1472 Fort St. Phone 6661L.

BEDROOM for rent, suitable for business lady. Phone 4023L.

COMFORTABLE rooms, furnished or unfurnished, central, business people; modern; garage. Phone 7347Y.

FURNISHED room for rent, close in; hot water heat; board if desired. Phone 7732L.

FURNISHED room, suitable for a business lady or gentleman. Phone 1231L.

LARGE, warm room, suitable for two gentlemen, in private home, board if desired. Phone 7023X.

SHACK, furnished, conkstove, gas, water. 320 Fort Street.

WARM, nicely furnished rooms to rent. Phone 2748L.

### HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

AT 324 Michigan St.—Furnished bed sitting-room and housekeeping rooms. Phone 2414L.

A FURNISHED housekeeping room, with gas, $12 month. 724 Humboldt. Apply 852 Vancouver Street.

ABERDOVEY—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. Phone 7203Q. 216 Michigan Street.

FOR Rent—Two nicely furnished, clean housekeeping rooms. 1330 Vancouver St.

FURNISHED housekeeping one and two-roomed flats, $8 to $20 monthly. 1033 Hillside.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; all conveniences. 1021 Pandora Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, bath, light and phone. 1214 Quadra St. No children.

HOUSEKEEPING Rooms, single or en suite; hot and cold water. 27 Erie Street. Phone 2202L.

ST. HELENS, 833 Courtney—Housekeeping rooms, single or en suite; bedrooms for transients. Phone 6841Q.

SUITE of housekeeping rooms, modern, cheap. 1305 Blanshard.

TO Rent—Bedroom and sitting-room, with use of kitchen stove. 1732 Bank St. Phone 4126X.

TWO well-furnished housekeeping rooms, steam heat, gas range. 1024 McClure.

4 FURNISHED housekeeping rooms for rent. Phone 5163R.

### FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

AT Hampton Court—A four-roomed unfurnished flat to rent.

AT October Mansions—Unfurnished flat to rent.

AT 600 Gorge Road, 6 minutes from Hudson's Bay, nicely furnished 3 and 2-roomed apartments, furnace heated, fireplace, garage.

BEACON HILL PARK—Nice flats, heated, furnished. 346 Simcoe St. 3846R.

BELL Apartments, 1621 Cook Street—Unfurnished suite for rent. Apply Suite 3.

COMFORTABLE, furnished 2-room flat, self-contained, adults. 440 Gorge Rd., Government St. end.

COOPER Apartments, 271 Michigan—Private room suite, well furnished and unfurnished, adults, garage.

### FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21 (Continued)

COMFORTABLE furnished suites, week or month. Carlton, 711 Pandora; central. Phone 3822O.

FURNISHED suite to rent, modern, three large rooms. Apply Mrs. Butterfield, 802 Blanshard Street.

FURNISHED apartment, private home, open fire, gas, bath, phone; rent $20. 364 Gorge Road, City.

FURNISHED apartment, $40, available March 1. Central Park Apartments. A. A. Maharey, agent, 402 Bayward Bldg.

FOR Rent—4-room furnished apartment, on Quadra Street; adults. Phone 3726R.

FULLER'S Lodge—Ideal bachelors home, every home comfort; terms moderate; one minute from car line. Phone 2873L. Proprietor, H. J. Fuller.

FROM March 1st, desirable, well furnished 3-room apartment, steam heat, very central. Rent, $22 a month. Apply Box 3164, Colonist, or phone 33.

OAK BAY—Unfurnished flat to let, steam heated, range; low rent. Phone 6321.

5 ROOMS, furnished, newly renovated; light and water, $17. 2014 Parnwood Road, near car.

### TO RENT—HOUSES 23

SANNICH ROAD, 7 rooms, with six lots. $15.00
BROUGHTON STREET, 7 rooms $22.50
DALLAS ROAD, 7 rooms $30.00
FERNWOOD ROAD, 7 rooms $30.00
FORT STREET, 1 room $25.00
BAY STREET, 8 rooms $30.00
HIGH STREET, 6 rooms $30.00
OSCAR STREET, 8 rooms $30.00
ASQUITH STREET, 8 rooms $30.00
B. C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
922 Government Street

FOR Rent by Owner—6-roomed house, modern, garden, chicken house and run, stable and garage. For particulars, Phone 2604L.

FOR Rent—6-roomed house, Consiance Ave. Apply 575 Nelson Street, Esquimalt.

FOR Rent—3-room modern bungalow, Shoal Bay district; immediate possession; rent $20 per month. 1035 Oliver St. Phone 446X.

FURNITURE for sale and 6-roomed house to rent, 4 blocks from City Hall. Phone 4608Y after 6 o'clock.

HOUSES, furnished and unfurnished, for rent and for sale, on easy terms. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad Street. Phone 4232.

HOUSE, close in, good repair, garden; $20, including water. 2822L.

TO Rent—6-room house, partly furnished. 2023 Penzance Road.

TWO nice bungalows. Apply 1054 Burdett Avenue.

6 ROOMS, Burnside Road; rent $22. Phone 2239.

7 ROOMS, fully modern, hardwood floors, full cement basement, furnace. A beautiful home with view of the

# A Mart for Busy Readers—House and Business Property for Sale and Exchange

## AUTOMOBILES 28
(Continued)

MASTERS MOTOR CO., LTD.

We Are Exclusive Used Car Dealers

10—EXCELLENT BUYS—15

$325—FORD, late model, 5-seater, in very good condition. It has excellent tires, a good top, etc., and it runs very good. $117 cash will handle this shop.

$575—CHEVROLET, 1920 model, 5-passenger. This car is in exceptionally good order, and it has very good tires. 1922 licence is included in the price; terms.

$495—FORD, 1920-21 model, 5-seater. It is absolutely as good as new in every respect. It will pay you to see this, as it is an extra good buy; terms.

$485—FORD, 1920 model, in beautiful condition. This is a particularly good buy, as it has only run about 5,500 miles, and it would pass for a new one.

$875—McLAUGHLIN 5, five-seater, in excellent condition. It has very good tires, an excellent top, etc., and the motor runs like a charm. At $875 this is the best buy in town. Very easy terms can be arranged.

$725—OVERLAND, late model 85, in new condition. This car looks and runs equally as good as a new one, and it has extra good tires. Easy terms arranged.

$475—1918 CHEVROLET ¾-ton delivery. It is in absolutely first-class order, and it has very good tires. We can arrange very convenient terms on this car.

$175—FORD, 5-seater, in very good running order. It has good tires, etc., and the motor runs and pulls fine. 1922 licence is included in the price of $175.

$150—HUPMOBILE roadster in excellent running order. This is just the thing for running around town, as it is very economical to operate. 1922 licence is paid.

$325—FORD, late model roadster, with a detachable light delivery box on the rear. It has good tires, etc., and it runs equal to new. Very easy terms.

We Have Others Too
We Are Exclusive Used Car Dealers

MASTERS MOTOR CO., LTD.
515 Yates St., cor. of Quadra St., Phone 875

GOOD USED CARS CHEAP

2930 CHALMERS 7-PASSENGER, in a new condition mechanically, paint same as new, good cord tires, with spare. Only ..... $1275

1918 CHALMERS 5-PASSENGER, in first-class order in every respect. Cord tires ..... $1000

2610 SPECIAL SIX STUDEBAKER, 5-seater, guaranteed same as new car. Cord tires. Looks new. For ..... $1550

2550 CHEVROLET, Model 4-90, in real good condition. For quick sale, only ..... $450

ALL USED CARS SOLD BY US ARE GUARANTEED TO BE IN FIRST-CLASS ORDER

JAMESON & WILLIS, LTD.
739 Fort St. Phone 5245

USED CAR SNAPS

We have the following Used Cars for sale, all of which are guaranteed, and will be sold on very easy terms.

1915 DODGE TOURING, tires good. This car is in excellent condition. Price ..... $950

1920 F. B. CHEVROLET, looks like a new car; tires new ..... $900

1919 OVERLAND 90, three new tires. This car has been recently overhauled; paint and upholstery as good as new. This is the biggest snap in the city at ..... $675

1920 McLAUGHLIN light 6, bought in September, 1920, and has done very little mileage; new tires all around; looks and runs like a new car. See this car if you are looking for a genuine bargain at ..... $875

1918 DODGE, in excellent condition, at the ridiculously low price of ..... $775

1918 CHEVROLET, just been overhauled; rear end and motor, paint and upholstery good. Party selling leaving town ..... $400

1918 GRAY-DORT, in good condition ..... $600

We have many others in offer, including Huppe, Dodges, Fords, Chandlers, etc. Come in and look them over.

USED CAR DEPARTMENT
VICTORIA AUTO LIVERY
Phone No. 1 757 View Street

$800 BUYS a 1-90 Chevrolet touring car in real good order, and it also looks good, just overhauled by an expert, and he did a good job.

$400 BUYS a 1920 Ford touring, like new. We pay cash for cars.

W. Frank Cameron, 540 View St. Phone 1555

USED CARS REPRICED FOR IMMEDIATE SALE

$650—DODGE BROTHERS TOURING, good shape.

$1,000—DODGE BROTHERS SCREEN DELIVERY, just overhauled.

$1,400—NASH SIX TOURING, special, with wire wheels, new paint and good tires.

A. E. HUMPHRIES MOTORS, LTD.
Phone 472 Cor. View and Vancouver Sts.

BEARINGS

OFFICIAL SERVICE FOR HYATT, TIMKEN, NEW DEPARTURE

Phone 3516 W. H. HUGHES 847 Yates St. Phone 4285L

## CYCLES AND MOTORCYCLES 29

BARGAINS in second-hand bicycles. New wheels on easy payments at Harris & Smith, 1850 Broad Street.

BICYCLE season is opening—Bring your bicycle to repair and overhaul. Lawn mowers repaired and sharpened. Work guaranteed. We call and deliver. Dominion Repair Shop, 1424 Government St., Victoria, B.C. Phone 4788.

GENTLEMAN'S bicycle, 28-inch frame, fine condition. Phone 5604L5.

GENT'S Massey-Harris bicycle, in good condition, with electric light and carrier, $25. Phone 4346R.

NEW CYCLES ARE CHEAP NOW

RED BIRD Bicycles, Canada's best, at $55, $65, $70, and $45.

Second-hand bicycles from $15 up, and every one guaranteed.

By
JIM BRYANT
The House of Service
Johnson at Broad Phone 1761

STORAGE batteries, repairing and recharging. Battery Service Co., 901 View Street. Phone 3714.

WE are in need of second-hand bicycles in 18 and 26-inch frames; also ladies' and motobike models. If you have any of these, we will buy them and pay cash. Pilmley & Ritchie, Ltd., 811 View Street.

26-INCH frame bicycle, in good condition, $20. Phone 4187L1.

## AUTOS FOR HIRE 30

PLEASURE DRIVES

NEW car, Oldsmobile 6-cylinder. Reasonable prices for 5 and 7-passenger work. The usual low rates to boats, trains, theatres, visiting and shopping continue. Phone 3513. Thos. J. Skelton. Phone 6812.

## LOST AND FOUND 31

DOG strayed (Maltese terrier), pure white, long haired. Do not keep or will prosecute. 1810 Blanshard St.

FOUND—Leather purse, containing small sum of money, at end Fowl Bay car line. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this ad. Phone 5865L.

LOST—Saturday afternoon, in Spencer's stores, a lady's handbag containing money and bills. Reward. Finder please phone 7195X.

LOST—On Metchosin Road, between Matchosin and Parsons Bridge, 1 sock laundry. Finder please communicate with Wet Wash Laundry.

FOUND—Light-colored liver and white pointer. Phone 5748L3.

LOST, Sunday, Airedale pup, Dallas Road, tag No. 577. Reward. Phone 7815X.

LOST—Licence number 15881. Reward. Return 1015 Yates Street.

LOST in city, small gold naval badge brooch; another's keepsake. Reward. Phone 7849Y3.

STRAYED — Black part-Persian kitten, from 1518 Richardson Street; child's pet. Finder please phone 5088R.

WILL the person who by mistake removed a pair of brown suede, silk-lined gloves yesterday between 3 and 5:00 o'clock from the Tea Kettle, kindly return same to Tea Kettle?

## HOTEL DIRECTORY 32

DELHI HOTEL—Under new management. Bedrooms and light housekeeping rooms; thoroughly cleaned throughout; terms moderate. S. Shelton, Proprietor.

HOTEL ALBANY, 1081 Government St. (formerly Brown Jug) — Bedrooms; hot and cold water; furnace heat. Phone 7440O.

## BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES 34

AN excellent grocery store, with post-office, doing a fine business in thriving location, and with low rent; fine opening for married couple. About $6,000 handles.

A PARTNER wanted to join client in the best cafe in the city; total cost $5,000. This is a money-maker. Best of references given and required.

As we have outside connections, would be pleased to have your business.

We have clients desirous of securing an interest in or about the city. If you desire to dispose of or entertain a partnership, see us.

THE LAND & BUSINESS AGENCY
Room 11, McGregor Block
Corner View and Broad Streets
Tel. 1148

COMPETENT printing salesman; must know prices; interest in business if capable. Box 5810, Colonist.

FOR Sale as a going concern—Hardware business on Granville Street, Vancouver. Store can be rented. Apply Room 410 Rogers Building, Vancouver.

GOOD-PAYING business for sale in automobile line. Will teach purchaser the business. Box 5877, Colonist.

HALF interest offered in investment which will make several thousand dollars within three months. Cash required, $500. Genuine, honest. Investigate this opportunity. Write, giving phone number, to Box 5728, Colonist.

I HAVE $1,500 to invest in some business, either whole or half interest, that is a paying proposition. Address Box 2986, Colonist.

SHINGLE mill proposition. Three-year cut for two machine mill. Finest cedar on the Island for shingles. Splendid proposition. Dunford's, Limited, 100 Pemberton Block.

RESTAURANT for sale, cheap, in mine town of 3,000; no other restaurant; good opportunity for man and wife. Will consider terms. Box 551, Post Office, Cumberland.

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625 Fort Street Phone 132

Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents

**$3900**—OAK BAY semi-bungalow of 7 rooms, situate on one of the best streets in this district, close to school and cars. Panelled entrance hall; living-room with large open fireplace, panelled and beamed dining-room having built-in buffet. These rooms are laid with best grade hardwood floors. Pass pantry and scullery to roomy kitchen; 2 big bedrooms, closets, etc.; bath and toilet downstairs, upstairs, 3 more good bedrooms and porch. Full cemented basement; furnace and laundry tubs. Lot is large, with lane at rear. This property now being sold at this low price through mortgage foreclosure. Terms arranged.

**$2400**—STUCCO bungalow in Oak Bay, within easy reach of cars and beach; hall opens to large living room, semi-panelled, and has open fireplace; dining-room and kitchen panelled; scullery, pantry, 2 good bedrooms, bathroom and toilet separate; back porch and shed. Lot is full size; heavy black loam, and fenced. $500 cash, and easy monthly payments arranged.

LEEMING BROS., LTD.
5124 Broad Street Phone 748

HERE'S A REAL SNAP
OVERLOOKING GORGE WATERS—One of the best built bungalows in the district, containing four good rooms, open fireplace in living-room; first-class bathroom; fine dry basement, piped for furnace. Extra deep lot, all fine soil. This bungalow recently painted and decorated throughout.
**$2500** Terms Arranged
THE EXCELLENT FURNISHINGS ARE INCLUDED
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION ARRANGED

HOMES OUR SPECIALTY

**$4200**—4-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, on one of the best streets in Oak Bay, large open fireplace, panelled walls, all built-in features, 3 good bedrooms, cement basement; full sized lot.

**$6750**—3 ROOMS, one of the finest homes in Fairfield district, in good locality, 3 open fireplaces, panelled walls and beamed ceiling, all built-in effects, oak floors, cement basement, furnace, garage.

**$4200**—5-ROOM BUNGALOW on Heywood Avenue, fronting on Beacon Hill Park, basement, open fireplace and all modern conveniences, gas connected, full lot, garage.

CITY BROKERAGE
A. T. Abbey, Mgr.
606 Union Bank Building Phone 815

## WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES 40

A 5 OR 6-roomed cottage, Hillside vicinity preferred. State lowest price for cash, also on terms. Care of Phone 1631, or Box 2070, Colonist.

BUNGALOW wanted, St. Margaret's or Jubilee district; owners only. Phone 5261R, mornings, or Box 1138, Colonist.

I HAVE $1,000 and can pay $30 monthly and interest quarterly. I want a house of 5 or 7 rooms, in Fairfield or close to High School. Must be good buy. Particulars to Box 5768, Colonist.

MODERN 5-roomed bungalow in Oak Bay district; cash consideration.

5-ROOMED house, James Bay; must be reasonable; not necessarily a new house.

10 ACRES with a modern 7-roomed house; not over $8,000 cash; inside 10 miles of city.

Kindly let us have your listings immediately
H. G. DALBY & CO.
634 View Opposite Spencer's

MODERN 5-roomed bungalow, about $3,500; will pay cash. James Bay or Fairfield. Apply Box 6289, Colonist.

WANTED—4 or 5-roomed bungalow, from owner. Will pay $400 cash, balance as rent. Box 5906, Colonist.

WANTED to buy 2 or 3-roomed house, Victoria or Duncan; must be a bargain. Box 6843, Colonist.

## ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

Established 1905

WE'RE HEADQUARTERS
FOR CHOICE ACREAGE
AND ALL KINDS AND
SIZES OF HOMES

A Few Good Acreage Buys

1½ ACRES, just outside city limits, high situation, and a lovely view of mountains and Straits; studded with beautiful oaks; and city conveniences are available, such as, water, electric light and phone. $600 cash will make first payment. $2,000

10 ACRES, fronting on one of the main roads leading into Victoria, and being about 7 miles from centre of city. Good paved road within half a mile. There are some outbuildings, and city water laid on. Ideal place for a suburban home or for poultry raising. $150 cash will make first payment. $3,000

ALMOST 15 acres, on the Cedar Hill Road, close to Mount Tolmie Postoffice, and within 9 miles of City Hall. Most of the land is quite good, and under cultivation. There is a comfortable 5-room bungalow, with modern conveniences, new barn, and a few fruit trees. The very place for a retired man from the Prairies. Terms arranged to suit. $10,500

B.C LAND & INVESTMENT AGY., LTD.
818 Government Street Phone 126

"BACK TO THE LAND

A COMFORTABLE home in the country, 4½ miles from town. 6½ acres of fertile land, 5 under cultivation, a small orchard for home use, cherries and apples. Well-built cottage of 4 rooms, nearly new, with water laid on. New poultry house for 200 birds. Delightfully situated, park-like surroundings, near a fine lake. The owner is going East, and for quick sale has reduced his price to $3,600.

ROBERT GRUBB & SON
Mahon Block (over 15c Store)
1112 Government Street

ATTRACTIVE little country home, within fourmile circle, overlooking sea. Three-roomed house, spacious veranda, sleeping porch, open fireplace, plumbing; 5½ acres splendid land, 1,000 strawberry plants; garage, chicken houses, etc. For quick sale, $3,150. Phone 7507X3, or write Box 860.

FIVE acres, waterfront, Rocky Point, $150 snap. Owner, P.O. Box 174, Victoria.

GOOD Buys—1½ acres, with house, $1,000; 1½ acres, cleared, $1,100; 9 acres, cleared, with house, $3,000; 14 acres, cleared with house, $6,000; 10 acres, mostly cleared and improved, $200 an acre; and many other places cheap. A. Cook, Metchosin. Phone Belmont 1336.

LOTS, or 3 acres, best land within mile circle; ten-roomed house. Box 5962, Colonist.

TWENTY YEARS TO PAY—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company is offering for sale lands in the Western Provinces for mixed farming, raising cattle and poultry and for dairying. Good soil, good climate, good schools. We give you twenty years to pay, with small cash payment. Now is the time to get started. Don't miss this opportunity. Write or call for information. H. L. Loughran, Land Agent, Desk C, C.P.R. Depot, Vancouver, B.C.

VALUABLE property, consisting of about 21 acres, ¼ mile from Cowichan Station; very suitable for a poultry ranch; some hen houses, small barn and a cottage. Price $6,100.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station E. & N. Railway

$450 PER acre for 5 acres—Ideal poultry and mixed farming land just outside city limits. Easy terms. Punnett & Co., 113 Pemberton Blk.

## ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
(Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg Phone 5790

STOCK RANCH
For Sale or Exchange

The Owner will accept a house in or near Victoria as part payment

530 ACRES of good land, 100 acres under cultivation, balance is in pasture, together with 1,200 acres of leased range. All the cultivated land is under irrigation; main ditches are in to irrigate the balance of the land. Excellent water supply for domestic use. A large dwelling in good condition. Stock consists of 150 head of cattle, 10 horses, 15 sheep, and 10 hogs. All the equipment and machinery necessary to handle the crops. This property is situated on the main road, about 10 miles from railway transportation. A going concern.

PRICE $25,000

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

999 ACRES land, 6 cleared, 4-roomed furnished house, and barn, stable, two cows, in calf, 5 heifers, 1 year old, 1 horse, 3 wagons, 2 sets of harness, and all farm implements. Close to main road, stages pass daily. 4 miles from Rooke. Box 6836, Colonist, or A. Shambroke, Otter Point.

100 ACRES, a large proportion of which is rich bottom land, situated 400 yards from railway station and adjoining large lake. A quantity of valuable timber. Price cut in half to close estate, $1,250.

5 ACRES and modern bungalow, bath, toilet, septic tank and city water; a few miles out, near paved road. This is a desirable little property. A quantity of rich black garden soil, and some timber, outbuildings, etc. Price $1,900, terms. Owner will consider exchange for city bungalow.

10 ACRES and modern 7-room bungalow, city water, barn, etc., some fruit trees, good garden soil, splendid small fruit proposition. All of this property is cleared, and there is no rock. Very pleasant location, near sea. Price reduced for quick sale, $5,000.

20 ACRES and new 5-room bungalow, useful barns and outbuildings, 4 good cows, 2 horses, chickens. A going concern. Splendid soil, unlimited water. Electric R. station on property. On paved road. The most charming location in Saanich district. Price $8,500, on exceptionally easy terms.

H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

12 ACRES, riverfrontage; good six-roomed cottage, $3,600; reduction for cash. P.O. Box 626, Parksville.

10 ACRES, 6 miles out, on paved road, first-class land, in grass, near interurban station. Phone 6145. (Owner.)

$80 CASH and $6 a year for four years, will buy 10 acres of excellent farm land on Vancouver Island, close to Parksville, Coombs, or Dashwood Stations, on the E. & N. Railway.

Full particulars from
VANCOUVER ISLAND FRUIT LANDS, LTD.
110 Belmont House

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House

$8500—OWING TO ILL-HEALTH we are authorized to sell this choice 25 acres At-land for the low price of $8,500. 18 acres, which is cleared and cultivated, fenced, has running stream of water, 7-room new bungalow, chicken house, small fruit, near school, church, store, station and sea front. This would be ideal spot for dairy or chickens. All first-class land. Further information at office.

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

TWO EXTRA SPECIALS

5 ACRES BOTTOM LAND, black loam with clay subsoil, some clearing, good garden, 2-room dwelling, fully furnished, $900, or without furniture $750.

8 ACRES, OVERLOOKING ELK LAKE, every foot of which is rich garden soil, some cleared and some timber, no gravel or rock. East Saanich Road; $2,600.

Full particulars at our office.
H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building

## PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

FOR Sale—Lot 3, Chapman Street, near Howe, in garden; $500. Apply 671 12th St., West, Vancouver.

LOTS and acreage for sale, easy terms, close in. Apply Owner, M. McKenzie, General Delivery.

TWO high building lots, mile circle, sewer, water, wires, $250 each, one or both. Box 3609, Colonist.

$395 BUYS a fine lot on Moss Street, near Dallas Rd. Extraordinary value.

$825 (TOTAL price) buys full-size lot, very near North Ward Park, formerly valued at $2,500. All taxes paid to date.

GORGE-RIVERSIDE Bargains—See us before buying in this section. We can offer singly or more the best here, at startling prices.

VICTORIA REALTY COMPANY
804 Central Bldg Phone 1036

## PROPERTY WANTED 45

A LARGE lot wanted in Mt. Tolmie district, near Normal School. Lowest price for cash or terms, to Box 3561, Colonist.

A GOOD building lot, Gorge district; or a small place under $1,600.

A. W. RICHMOND & CO.
Phone 5265 410 Pemberton Bldg

WATERFRONT lot, within ten mile radius; must be reasonable. Box 4019, Colonist.

WANTED—Lot on waterfront, either Cadboro or Cordova Bay; must be reasonable. Box 3560, Colonist.

## ACREAGE TO RENT 50

ACREAGE FOR RENT

SAANICH—Waterfront, 23 acres, about 5 acres under cultivation, modern six-roomed house, good beach and boathouse. Will lease, flent $425 per annum.

METCHOSIN—Waterfront, 25 acres, about two acres under cultivation, modern six-roomed house, partly furnished. Rent $25 per month. Will lease.

ESQUIMALT—Waterfront, 5 acres, nearly all under cultivation, small barn and chicken house; five-roomed bungalow. Will lease for three years. Rent $25 per month.

F. R. BROWN & SONS
1118 Broad Street

## MONEY TO LOAN 53

AGREEMENTS of sale, mortgages, etc., bought for cash. Apply A. D. Ford, 507 Pemberton Building. Phone 1350 or 5050L.

MONEY to Loan. Findlay, Durham & Brodie, Union Bank Bldg.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage covering improved property; also money to discount mortgages and agreements for sale. Duning & Foot, Barristers and Attorneys, 617-18 Sayward Bldg., Victoria.

## AGENTS WANTED 59

AGENTS to sell guaranteed made-to-measure raincoats; outfit free. Write at once, Glasgow Rubber Co., 267 St. James Street, Montreal.

## TIMBER BROKERS 60

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., 100 Pemberton Bldg.

TRACTS of our to six million feet of Crown granted timber for sale; also ties, mine props, etc., on East Coast of Vancouver Island, on railway, close to tidewater. Franco-Canadian Company, Ltd., 110 Belmont House, Victoria, B.C.


**The Returned Professional and Business Men's Association, of Victoria, B.C.**

Respectfully solicit the patronage of local residents in the lines of business hereunder mentioned:

ARCHITECTS
D. H. BARRY, M.S.A. (Eng.), 461 Sayward Bldg. Phone 6916.
P. L. JAMES, 561 Sayward Building. Phone 6916.
RALPH BERRILL, A.M.E.B.A., 4 Brown Block. Phone 5342.

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRS
THE MECHANICAL MOTOR WORKS, 1384 Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 5964.

AWNING MAKER
GEO. RIGBY, 166½ Douglas Street. Phone 6462.

AUTO PAINTER
VETERANS' AUTO PAINTING WORKS, Pandora and Blanshard. Phone 1418.

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES
JOHNSON BROS., 1744 Avebury Street. Phone 4736.

BUTCHER
S. G. F. MEADES, Thoburn Grocery Block, Esquimalt Road.

CANDIES
E. J. LAWRENCE, Handy Candy Store, 1013 Blanshard Street, 1 minute from Royal Victoria Theatre. Phone 861L.

CARPENTER AND BUILDER
EVANS & GREEN, 811 Fort Street. Phone 5245.

CLOTHIERS
FYVIE BROTHERS, 909 Government Street. Phone 1859.
A. H. C. JONES, with A. F. Sprinkling, Outer View and Broad. Phone 4100.

CONCRETE SPECIALISTS AND CONCRETE PRODUCTS
HENSON & CO., 403 Gorge Road. Phones 4947 and 7162X.

DENTIST
H. CLARKE, 413 Central Building. Phone 1536.

ELECTRICIANS
FOX & MAINWARING, Pemberton Building. Phone 6011.

FINANCIAL AGENT
H. E. HUNNINGS, 519 Central Building. Phone 4424.

HOTEL KEEPERS
NICHOLSON & WILLIS, Sooke Harbor Hotel.

INSURANCE
W. J. BRICK, 247 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 1670.

LAWYERS
Names of five Legal Firms may be obtained from the President. Phone 3976.

LAND SURVEYOR
F. H. ALLWOOD, B.C.L.S., 455 Sayward Building. Phone 6949.

ORCHESTRA AND BAND
A. RUMBBY, 5th Regiment Band, 931 Niagara Street.

PAINTING AND DECORATING
T. H. RENDELL, 1580 Bay Street. Phone 4575Y.

PLUMBERS
VETERANS' PLUMBING COMPANY, Fort and Langley. Phone 9811.
R. J. COSTELLO, Lake Hill P.O. Phone 5370X.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
W. S. BROWN, 711 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 5612L.
J. H. GILLESPIE, 711 Fort Street. Phone 2040.
T. B. MONK & CO., 504 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 1741.
G. O. MORRIS, 1006 Broad Street. Phones 5600 and 5601.
WENDELL S. SHAW, 566 Pembarton Building. Phone 3676.

TRANSFER AND TRUCKING
GENERAL SERVICE TRANSPORT, LTD., 1067 Langley. Phone 69.
JOHNSON BROS., 0744 Avebury Street. Phone 4736.

TOBACCONIST
J. DIROM, Horse Show Cigar Stand, 1523 Government Street. Phone 7148.


THE VICTORIA LUMBER AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at the Head Office of the Company, Number 913 Government Street, in the City of Victoria (the office of Bodwell & Lawson), on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1922, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving and dealing with the annual balance sheet of the Company and the Auditors' report thereon, electing Directors of the Company and appointing the Auditors of the Company for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly be brought before an Annual General Meeting.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 13th day of February, 1922.

WILLIAM H. PHIPPS,
Secretary.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

Tenders for Disposal of Garbage

Tenders sealed, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to 4 p.m. on Monday, March 6, 1922, for the disposal of the City Garbage, as per specification copy of which can be seen at this office. Cheque for 5 per cent of the amount of the tender to be enclosed.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 21, 1922.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

POUND SALE

I will sell by public auction, at the Municipal Farm, Glanford Ave., at 11 o'clock forenoon, on Thursday, March 2, one sorrel horse, with short mane, white spot on face, white near hind foot, unless redeemed before that date and all charges paid.

PETER HROGAN,
Pound Keeper.

CITY OF VICTORIA

# Municipal Notice

**Municipal By-Election, February, 1922, for**

**One (1) Alderman, to Fill the Vancancy Caused by the Resignation of Mr. Arthur Lineham.**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors in the Council Chamber, at the City Hall, Douglas Street, in the aforesaid City, on Monday the 27th day of February, 1922, from 12 (noon) to 2 p.m., for the purpose of electing one (1) person to represent them as a member of the Municipal Council as Alderman in place of Mr. Arthur Lineham, who has resigned, and for the remainder of his unexpired term.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be open on THURSDAY, the 2nd day of March, 1922, from 8 o'clock a.m. to 7 p.m., in the building known as the Victoria Public Market Building, Cormorant Street, in the said City, at which time and place each elector who is duly qualified to vote for MAYOR will be entitled to cast his vote for the election of one (1) Candidate as Alderman, as above mentioned, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The persons qualified to be nominated and elected as and to hold the office of ALDERMEN of any city shall be such as are British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, who have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination and are registered in the Land Registry Office as owners of land or land and improvements within the city, of the value as assessed on the last Assessment Roll of Five Hundred Dollars, or more, over and above all registered judgments and charges, or who are the holders of lands within the city acquired by them by agreement to purchase under the "Soldiers' Land Act" or the "Better Housing Act," or the "Soldiers' Settlement Act, 1917," of the Dominion, or the "Soldiers Settlement Act, 1919," of the Dominion, and have paid the sum of five hundred dollars or more upon the principal of the purchase price under such agreement to purchase.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 15th day of February, 1922.

WM. SCOWCROFT,
Returning Officer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

# FOR SALE

The City of Victoria has for sale certain trees and shrubs which may be seen at the Beacon Hill Nursery. Price list may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.

# SLIGHT CHANGES IN BUTTER QUOTATIONS

## Wholesale Row in Quiet State Once More—Variations in Apple Prices—Vegetables Are Scarce

Slight changes in butter quotations were noted yesterday on the wholesale market. Hollywood and New Zealand butter have dropped from 35 cents a pound to 34 cents. Vancouver Milk Producers' butter is down to 38 cents a pound, but Salt Spring butter experienced a slight rise yesterday, being now quoted at 39 cents. New laid pullets' eggs are off the market, the fresh eggs being firm at 38 cents a doz. Winesap apples arrived on the row yesterday and are priced at $2 and $3.25 per box, wholesale. Jonathan apples have jumped one dollar a box. Delicious apples have made their final appearance for the season on wholesale row. Local apples have advanced 25 cents in price. Imported vegetables are still scarce, although no further changes in their prices have taken place. Feed and flour figures are stationary.

The wholesale quotations follow:

### FRUIT, VEGETABLES, DAIRY PRODUCE

| | |
|---|---|
| **Butter—** | |
| Cowichan | .38 |
| Comox | .38 |
| Salt Spring Island | .39 |
| Hollywood, bricks | .34 |
| New Zealand, bricks | .34 |
| Y. I. Milk Producers | .38 |
| Specials, Creamery, cartons | M.P. |
| Grade 1, Creamery, bricks | M.P. |
| Grade 2, Creamery, bricks | M.P. |
| Oleomargarine | .24½ |
| **Cheese—** | |
| Ontario Matured Solids | .25 |
| Ontario, solid | .26½ |
| Ontario, twins | .26 |
| Ontario, singles | .28½ |
| Ontario, Stilltons | .35 |
| B. C. Cheese, solids | .31 |
| Alberta | .31 |
| B. C. Cream, doz. | 1.80 |
| McLaren's Cream, doz., small | .90 |
| McLaren's Kraft, Cam. 5's | .47 |
| McLaren's Kraft, Swiss 5's | .47 |
| **Eggs—Market—** | |
| B. C. New Laid, grade 1, per doz. | .38 |
| **Fish—** | |
| Haddies, 15-lb. box lb. | .16 |
| Kippers, 10-lb box, lb. | .10 |
| Sablefish smoked 10-lb box, lb. | .16 |
| Codfish Tablets, 50-lb., lb. | .15 |
| **Potatoes—According to Quality—** | |
| Locals | M.P. |
| Highland, ton lots | M.P. |
| Kamloops, ton lots | 35.00 |
| Lytton White, ton lots | 32.00 |
| Netted Gem, ton lots | 32.00 |
| Sweet Potatoes, Calif., crates | .05 |
| Sweet Potatoes, Calif., lugs | .09 |
| Australian Brown, crts. | 3.00 |
| **Vegetables—** | |
| Hiesta, per sack | 1.65 |
| Celery, Calif., doz. | 2.25 |
| Carrots, per sack | 1.25 |
| Turnips | 1.60 |
| Parsnips | 2.00 |
| Parsley, Calif., doz. | .65 |
| Spinach, box | 2.75 |
| Rothouse Rhubarb, lb. | .20 |
| Cauliflowers, Calif., crate | 5.00 |
| Cabbage, local | M.P. |
| Cabbage, Winningstadt | .07 |
| Hothouse Lettuce, crate | 1.35 |
| Head Lettuce, crate | 7.00 |
| Hothouse Rhubarb, lb. | .30 |
| Garlic | M.P. |
| Tomatoes— | |
| Imported, lugs | 7.75 |
| Imported, basket | 1.75 |
| Green Bell Peppers | M.P. |
| **Fruits—** | |
| Grapes—Packed in Sawdust— | |
| Almeria, kegs | 7.25 |
| Apples, Okanagan, according to size and grade— | |
| Yellow Newtons | 5.00 5.25 |
| Jonathans | 6.50 5.00 |
| Spitzerberg | 5.65 6.00 |
| Winesaps | 5.00 3.25 |
| Apples, local, according to size, grade and variety | 1.00 5.00 |
| Cranberries— | |
| 1-5 bbl. boxes | 7.75 |
| Less box lots, per lb. | .50 |
| Oranges— | |
| Japanese, per bdl. (5 boxes) | 1.25 |
| Japanese Marmalade, box | 2.75 |
| Calif. Marmalade, case | 6.00 |
| Navels, according to grade and size | 6.00 7.00 |
| Lemons— | |
| Sunkist | 7.50 |
| Choice | 7.00 |
| Bananas— | |
| 4-basket crates | 3.00 |
| Per lb., city delivery | M.P. |
| Per lb., crated | .05½ |
| Baskets, 1 doz. each | .45 |
| Grapefruit—According to size— | |
| California | 5.25 5.50 |
| Florida, according to size | 5.75 |
| Honey— | |
| Raw, 50 15½-oz. combs, per case | 10.00 |
| Raw, 24 31-oz. combs, per case | 9.75 |
| Figs— | |
| New, Calif., according to size | 1.00 4.15 |
| Dates— | |
| New Hallowi, bulk | .15½ |
| New Fair, bulk | To arrive |
| New Dromedary, per case | 6.50 |
| Tropic, 60-lb per c/c | 7.00 |
| Raisins— | |
| New Calif., cartons 20-1 c/c | 4.00 |
| New Calif., cartons 15-1 | 3.50 |
| New Calif., layers, 5's | 3.10 |
| New Malaga Raisins, 5-lb | 2.75 5.00 |
| Nuts— | |
| Almonds, per lb. | .18 .22 |
| Brazils | M.P. |
| Filberts | M.P. |
| Walnuts, No. 1 late | .36 .45 |
| Chestnuts | .35 .38 |

### FLOUR

| | Per 49-lb. Sack |
|---|---|
| Purity | 2.25 |
| Royal Standard | 2.25 |
| Wild Rose (Pastry) | 2.25 |
| Royal Household | 2.25 |
| H. & K. Flour | 2.25 |
| Five Roses | 2.25 |
| H. & K. (Pastry) | 2.25 |
| Paragon Bread Flour | 2.25 |
| Velvet Pastry Flour | 2.25 |

### SUGAR

| | |
|---|---|
| B. C. Refinery— | |
| White, per hundred | 7.00 |
| Yellow, per hundred | 6.70 |

### FEED

| | 100 lbs. | Per Ton |
|---|---|---|
| Barley | 2.10 | 40.00 |
| Gr. Barley | 2.35 | 45.00 |
| Corn | 2.50 | 46.00 |
| Cracked Corn | 2.60 | 47.00 |
| Oil Cake | 2.35 | 45.00 |
| Feed Cornmeal | 2.50 | 44.00 |
| Oats | 1.90 | 38.00 |
| Gr. Oats | 2.10 | 40.00 |
| Scratch Food | 2.20 | 45.00 |
| Wheat, No. 1 feed | 2.40 | 50.00 |
| Wheat, No. 3 feed | 2.30 | 46.00 |
| Bran | 1.70 | 33.00 |
| Shorts | 1.80 | 34.00 |
| Alf. Meal | 2.20 | 45.00 |
| Poultry Mash | 2.25 | 45.00 |
| Pig Feed | 1.70 | 32.00 |
| Oat Feed | 1.00 | 16.00 |
| C. N. Cake | 2.20 | 40.00 |
| C. M. Meal | 2.00 | 40.00 |
| Soy Bean Meal | 3.00 | 70.00 |
| Gluten Feed | 2.35 | 45.00 |
| Cottonseed Meal | 2.15 | 45.00 |
| Beef Scraps | 6.75 | |
| Oyster Shell | 2.00 | 38.00 |
| Gr. Bone | 6.50 | |
| Hay, Timothy and Clover | 1.30 | 28.00 |
| Alfalfa Hay | 1.30 | 28.00 |
| Straw | 1.00 | 18.00 |

### WHOLESALE MEAT PRICES

No special brands quoted

| | |
|---|---|
| Pork | .19 |
| Beef, No. 1 steers | .14 |
| Lamb | .06 |
| Hams | .35 to .41 |
| Lard | .17½ to .19 |
| Veal | .15 |
| Bacon | .35 to .41 |

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

Tenders for the Disposal of the E. & N. Railway Swing Bridge

Tenders addressed to the City Clerk, for the purchase of an existing Railway Swing Span will be received up to noon, March 6, 1922. Plan and specifications can now be obtained from the City Engineer.

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E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., January 24, 1922.

# STOCK PRICES AGAIN TAKE UPWARD COURSE

## Nearly All Groups Share in Strength on Unusually Active Market — Industrials Make Notable Gains

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—On a turnover of 1,000,000 shares, and involving more than the usual number of standard issues, the stock market today resumed its upward course, many favorites rising to maximum quotations for a year or more.

Steels, equipments, motors, oils, rails, coppers, leathers, textiles, tobaccos and mail order shares figured prominently in the movement. U. S. Steel made a net gain of 3 1-4 points to 94 7-8. Other strong industrials embraced American and Baldwin Locomotives, Studebaker, American Woolen and American Ice. Rails were featured by Rock Island and Canadian Pacific.

Call loans declined from 5 to 4 1-2 per cent in the afternoon. More liberal offerings of time funds were reported, and loans extending into June were made at 4 3-4 per cent.

Demand bills on London established a new record at a fraction over $4.40, but Allied exchanges, the Belgian rate excepted, eased. Dutch bills were very strong on prospects of a Government loan by United States bankers, and all the Scandnavian quotations advanced 5 to 25 points. The Montreal exchange rate fell to 97.12, the lowest discount in almost three years. Otherwise exchange on Canada continued to move favorably.

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| Stock— | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Allis-Chalmers | 44-5 | 44-5 | 44-3 |
| Am. Can Co., com. | 40-6 | 40-1 | 40-6 |
| Am. Car Fdy. | 150-4 | 149-6 | 150-4 |
| Am. Int. Corp. | 45 | 44-00 | 44-6 |
| Am. Locomotive | 111 | 110-6 | 110-6 |
| Am. Smelt. & Ref. | 67-4 | 67-2 | 67-2 |
| Am. T. and Tel. | 118-7 | 118-5 | 118-5 |
| Am. Wool, com. | 86 | 83-7 | 85-0 |
| Am. Steel Fdy. | 31-6 | 31-5 | 31-6 |
| Am. Sum. Tob. | 28-4 | 28-7 | 28-7 |
| Anaconda Mining | 48-4 | 47-7 | 48-1 |
| Atchison | 97-5 | 97 | 97-6 |
| Atlantic Gulf | 68 | 65-2 | 68-2 |
| Baldwin Loco. | 107-2 | 106-7 | 107 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 36-3 | 36-2 | 36-3 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 64-4 | 64 | 64-2 |
| Canadian Pacific | 134-2 | 131 | 133-4 |
| Central Leather | 32-4 | 32-3 | 32-3 |
| Crucible Steel | 61-5 | 59-4 | 61 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 59 | 58-7 | 58-7 |
| Chic., Mil. & St. P. | 21-6 | 20-4 | 21-2 |
| Chic., R. I. & Pac. | 40-3 | 39 | 40-3 |
| Chino Copper | 25-7 | 25-6 | 25-7 |
| Chile Copper | 16-5 | 16-4 | 16-5 |
| Corn Products | 104-6 | 103-3 | 104 |
| United Food | 4 | 3-5 | 4 |
| Erie | 11-2 | 11 | 11 |
| Gen. Electric | 155 | 155-4 | 155 |
| Gen. Motors | 9 | 8-6 | 8-6 |
| Goodrich (B.F.) | 37-4 | 37-3 | 37-4 |
| Gt. Nor. Ore | 35-4 | 35-2 | 35-4 |
| Gt. Northern, pfd. | 74-3 | 74 | 74-3 |
| Hide & Lea. pfd. | 68-2 | 68 | 68-1 |
| Inspiration Cop. | 38-4 | 38 | 38-4 |
| Intl. Nickel | 12 | 11-6 | 12 |
| Intl. Mer. Marine | 15-6 | 15-5 | 15-6 |
| Intl. Mer. Marine, pfd. | 72-6 | 71-5 | 72 |
| Kennecott Copper | 27-4 | 27-2 | 27-3 |
| Kan. City Southern | 25 | 24-6 | 25 |
| Lehigh Valley | 61-2 | 60-3 | 61-5 |
| Lack. Steel | 48-2 | 47-1 | 48-2 |
| Mex. Petroleum | 123-5 | 118-6 | 121-4 |
| N.Y., N.H. & Hart. | 17-6 | 17-4 | 17-5 |
| New York Central | 77-4 | 77 | 77-3 |
| Northern Pacific | 80-3 | 79-5 | 80 |
| Ohio Gas | 92-5 | 92-4 | 92-5 |
| Pennsylvania R. R. | 44-5 | 44-4 | 44-5 |
| People's Gas | 74 | 73-2 | 74-3 |
| Pressed Steel Car | 65 | 64-7 | 65 |
| Reading | 75-2 | 74-6 | 75-2 |
| Ry. Steel Spring | 98 | 97-4 | 98 |
| Ray Cons. Mining | 16-7 | 15-6 | 16-7 |
| Republic Steel | 52-2 | 52-2 | 52-2 |
| Sin. Oil | 19-2 | 19 | 19-1 |
| Southern Pacific | 85-1 | 84-7 | 85-1 |
| Southern Ry., com. | 20-2 | 19-4 | 20-1 |
| Studebaker Corpn. | 94-1 | 92-4 | 93-7 |
| Stone Sheffield | 41-2 | 40-6 | 40-0 |
| The Texas Company | 45-4 | 45-2 | 45-4 |
| Tob. Prod. | 63-7 | 62-6 | 66-6 |
| Union Pacific | 132-2 | 131-5 | 132 |
| Utah Copper | 62-5 | 61-6 | 62-5 |
| U. S. Ind. Alcohol | 45-6 | 45-3 | 45-6 |
| U. S. Rubber | 55-7 | 55-2 | 55-5 |
| U. S. Steel, com. | 94-7 | 92-1 | 94-7 |
| Virginia Chem. | 31-7 | 31-4 | 31-6 |
| Western Union | 95-7 | 95-6 | 95-7 |
| Wabash R. R., "A" | 22-2 | 22-1 | 22-2 |
| Willys-Overland | 4-7 | 4-6 | 4-7 |
| Westinghouse Elec. | 58-4 | 56 | 58-1 |
| Allied Chemical | 58-6 | 58-7 | 58-6 |
| International Harv. | 49-5 | 48 | 49-2 |
| Am. Ship. & Com. | 17-5 | 17-4 | 17-5 |
| Com. Tab. & Rec. Co. | 66-4 | 66-2 | 66-3 |
| General Asphalt | 62-6 | 62 | 62-6 |
| Am. Linseed | 25-6 | 25 | 25-6 |
| Kelly Springfield | 17-2 | 16-7 | 16-7 |
| Coca Cola | 39-3 | 39-1 | 39-3 |
| Columbia Graphophone | 11-4 | 11-4 | 11-4 |
| Chicago & N. R. | 44-6 | 44-5 | 44-6 |
| United Fruit | 144-4 | 144-4 | 144-4 |
| Famous Players L. C. | 31-6 | 31-5 | 31-6 |
| Martin Parry Corp. | 28 | 27-4 | 27-4 |
| Nat. Enamel | 36 | 34-7 | 36 |
| Gulf States Steel | 74-4 | 73-5 | 74 |
| Sears, Roebuck | 68 | 66-5 | 67 |
| Pere Marquette | 24-6 | 23-7 | 24-3 |
| Transcontinental Oil | 10-1 | 10 | 10-1 |
| Union Oil | 18-3 | 17-3 | 17-6 |
| White Motors | 38-4 | 38-3 | 38-4 |
| Pullman Co. | 117-5 | 116-3 | 117-2 |
| Pacific Oil | 47-4 | 47 | 47-2 |
| Pan American | 55-3 | 53-2 | 54 |
| Hosch Car | 28-6 | 28 | 28 |
| Chandler Motors | 46-6 | 46-2 | 46-6 |
| Cuban Cane Sugar | 10-1 | 10 | 10-1 |
| Pierce Arrow | 15-3 | 15-2 | 15-2 |
| Retail Stores | 54 | 53-4 | 53-1 |
| Shell Transport | 40 | 39-7 | 40 |
| Replogle Steel | 31-1 | 31-3 | 31-1 |
| Royal Dutch | 57 | 51 | 51-7 |
| Texas Pacific Ry. | 30-5 | 30-1 | 30-3 |
| Vanadium | 36-7 | 35 | 36-7 |

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| Stock— | Close |
|---|---|
| Bell Telephone | 105-4 |
| Brazilian Trac. | 22-7 |
| Can. Cement, com. | 54 |
| Can. Car Fdy., com. | 21 |
| Can. S. S., com. | 16-4 |
| Can. Gen. Elec. | 86 |
| Cons. M. & S. | 56 |
| Detroit United | 81-2 |
| Dom. Bridge | 92-4 |
| Dom. I. & S. | 26 |
| Dom. Textile | 128 |
| L. of Woods Mfg. | 149-4 |
| Laurentide Co. | 91-2 |
| Asbestos Corp. | 44 |
| Abitibi | 67 |
| Brompton Pulp & Paper | 18 |
| Montreal Power | 86-8 |
| Atlantic Sugar | 76-7 |
| National Breweries | 58 |
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# The Hound of the Baskervilles

Another Adventure of Sherlock Holmes

By A. Conan Doyle

CHAPTER IV—Continued

Thus encouraged by Holmes, our scientific friend drew his papers from hos pocket, and presented the whole case as he had done from the morning before. Sir Henry Baskerville listened with the deepest attention, and with an occasional exclamation of surprise.

"Well, I seem to have come into an inheriance with a vengeance," said he, when the long narrative was finished. "Of course, I've heard of the hound ever since I was in the nursery. It's the pet story of the family, though I never thought of teking it seriously before. But as to my uncle's death—well, it all seems boiling up in my head, and I can't get it clear yet. You don't seem quite to have made up your mind whether it's a case for a policeman or a clergyman."

"Precisely."

"And now there's this affair of the letter to me at the hotel. I suppose that fits into its place."

"It seems to show that someone knows more then we do about what goes on upon the moor," said Dr. Mortimer.

"And also," said Holmes, "that someone is not ill-disposed towards you, since they warn you of danger."

"Or it may be that they wish, for their own purpose, to scare me away."

"Well, of course, that is possible also. I am very much indebted to you, Dr. Mortimer, for introducing me to a problem which presents several interesting alternatives. But the practical point, which we now have to decide, Sir Henry, is whether it is or is not advisable for you to go to Baskerville Hall."

"Why should I not go?"

"There seems to be danger."

"Do you mean danger from this family fiend or do you mean danger from human beings?"

"Well, that is what we have to find out."

"Whichever it is, my answer is fixed. There is no devil in hell, Mr. Holmes, and there is no man upon earth who can prevent me from going to the home of my own people, and you may take that to be my final answer." His dark brows knitted and his face flashed to a dusky red as he spoke. It was evident that the fiery temper of the Baskervilles was not extinct in this their last representative. "Meanwhile," said he, "I have hardly had time to think over all that you have told me. It's a big thing for a man to have to understand and to decide at one sitting. I should like to have a quiet hour by myself to make up my mind. Now, look here, Mr. Holmes, it's half-past eleven now and I am going back right away to my hotel. Suppose you and your friend, Dr. Watson, come round and lunch with us at two? I'll be able to tell you more clearly then how this thing strikes me."

"Is that convenient to you, Watson?"

"Perfectly."

"Then you may expect us. Shall I have a cab called?"

"I'd prefer to walk, for this affair has flurried me rather."

"I'll join you in a walk, with pleasure," said his companion.

"Then we meet again at two o'clock. Au revoir, and goor morning!"

We heard the steps of our visitors descend the stair and the bang of the front door. In an instant Holmes had changed from the languid dreamer to the man of action.

"Your hat and boots, Watson, quick! Not a moment to lose!" He rushed into his room in his dressing gown and was back again in a few seconds in a frock coat. We hurried together down the stairs and into the street. Dr. Mortimer and Baskerville were still visible about two hundred yards ahead of us in the direction of Oxford Street.

"Shall I run on and stop them?"

"Not for the world, my dear Watson. I am perfectly satisfied with your company if you will tolerate mine. Our friends are wise, for it is certainly a very fine morning for a walk."

He quickened his pace until we had decreased the distance which divided us by about half. Then, still keeping a hundred yards behind, we followed into Oxford Street and so down Regent Street. Once our friends stopped and stared into a shop window, upon which Holmes did the same. An instant afterwards he gave a little cry of satisfaction, and, following the direction of his eager eyes, I saw that a hansom cab with a man inside which had halted on the other side of the street was now walking slowly onwards again.

"There's our man, Watson! Come along! We'll have a good look at him, if we can do no more."

At that instant I was aware of a bushy black beard and a pair of piercing eyes turned upon us through the side window of the cab. Instantly the trap-door at the top flew up, something was screamed to the driver, and the cab flew madly off down Regent Street. Holmes looked eagerly round for another, but no empty one was in sight. Then he dashed in wild pursuit amid the stream of the traffic, but the start was too great, and already the cab was out of sight.

"There now!" said Holmes, bitterly, as he emerged panting and white with vexation from the tide of vehicles. "Was ever such bad luck and management, too? Watson, Watson, if you are an honest man you will record this also and set it against my successes!"

"Who was the man?"

"I have not an idea."

"A spy."

"Well, it was evident from what we heve heard that Baskerville has been very closely shadowed by someone since he has been in town. How else could it be known so quickly that it was the Northumberland Hotel which he had chosen? If they had followed him the first day I argued that they would follow him also the second. You may have observed that I twice strolled over to the window while Dr. Mortimer was reading his legend."

"Yes, I remember."

"I was looking out for loiterers in the street, but I saw none. We are dealing with a clever man, Watson. This matter cuts very deep, and though I have not finally made up my mind whether it is a benevolent or a malevolent agency which is in touch with us, I am conscious always of power and design. When our friends left I at once followed them in the hopes of making down their invisible attendant. So wily was he that he had not trusted himself upon foot, but he had availed himself of a cab, so that he could loiter behind or dash past them and so escape their notice. His methed had the additional advantage that if they were to take a cab he was all ready to follow them. It has, however, one obvious disadvantage."

"It puts him in the power of the cabman."

"Exactly."

"What a pity we did not get the number!"

"My dear Watson, clumsy as I have been, you surely do not seriously imagine that I neglected to get the number? 2704 is our man. But that is no use to us for the moment."

"I fail to see how you could have done more."

"On observing the cab I should have instantly turned and walked in the other direction. I should then at my leisure have hired a second cab and followed the first at a respectful distance, or, better still, have driven to the Northumberland Hotel and waited there. When our unknown had followed Baskerville home we should have had the opportunity of playing his own genie upon himself, and seeing where he made for. As it is, by an indiscreet eagerness, which was taken advantage of with extraordinary quickness and energy by our opponent, we have betrayed ourselves and lost our man."

We hed been sauntering slowly down Regent Street during this conversation, and Dr. Mortimer with his companion, had long vanished in front of us.

"There is no object in our following them," said Holmes. "The shadower has departed and will not return. We must see what further cards we have in our hands and play them with decision. Could you swear to thet man's face within the cab?"

"I could swear only to the beard."

"And so could I—from which I gather that in all probability it was a false one. A clever man upon so delicate an errand has no use for a board save to conceal his features. Come in here, Watson!"

He turned into one of the district messenger offices, where he was warmly greeted by the manager.

"Ah, Wilson, I see you have not forgotten the little case in which I had the good fortune to help you?"

"No, sir, indeed I have not. You saved my good name, and perhaps my life."

"My dear fellow, you exaggerate. I have some recollection, Wilson, that you have among your boys a lad named Cartwright, who showed some ability during the investigation."

"Yes, sir, he is still with us."

"Could you ring him up?—thank you! And I should be glad to have change of this five-pound note."

A lad of fourteen, with a bright, keen face, had obeyed the summons of the manager. He stood now gazing with great reverence at the famous detective.

"Let me have the Hotel Directory," said Holmes. "Thank you! Now, Cartwright, there are the names of twenty-three hotels here, all in the immediate neighborhood of Charing Cross. Do you see?"

"Yes, sir."

"You will visit each of these in turn."

"Yes, sir."

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"Yes, sir."

"You will tell him that you want to see the waste paper of yesterday. You will say that an important telegrem has miscarried and that you are looking for it. You understand?"

"Yes, sir."

"But what you are really looking for is the centre page of the Times with some holes cut in it with sciasors. Here is a copy of the Times. It is this page. You could easily recognize it, could you not?"

"Yes, sir."

"In each case the outside porter will send for the hall porter, to whom also you will give a shilling. Here are twenty-three shillings. You will then learn in possibly twenty cases out of the twenty-three that the waste of the day before has been burned or removed. In the three other cases you will be shown a heap of paper and you will look for this page of the Times among it. The odds are enormously against your finding it. There are ten shillings over in case of emergencies. Let me have a report by wire at Baker Street before evening. And now, Watson, it only remains for us to find out by wire the identity of the cabman, No 2704, and then we will drop into one of the Bond Street picture galleries and fill in the time until we are due at the hotel."

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## MEDICAL SOCIETY FORMED IN NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Feb. 21.—A district medical society organized as a branch of the British Columbia Medical Association was formed in this city at a recently held meeting. The society will be known as District No. 6, Medical Society of British Columbia. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. W. F. Dryadale; vice-president, Dr. G. MacNaughton (Cumberland); secretary-treasurer, Dr. T. J. McPhee. The president was also elected as delegate to the Provincial Association.

Several medical men from Vancouver were present as delegates from the organization, including Drs. Munro and Patterson and Secretary Dr. Fletcher. All the medical men from the upper part of the Island, from Chemainus to Campbell River, were enrolled as members, and most of these were present at the meeting.

The objects of the society are for the advancement of medical science, the prevention of disease, with vigorous support to all health boards and others engaged in this work, and for the maintenance of a high scientific social status of its members. Arrangements are being made for six lectures to be given to the general public by different medical men in the neer future.


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A very enjoyable cabaret took place at the K. of C. Hall, on Monday night under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus. About two hundred guests were present, and evidenced their appreciation of the clever "turns," and excellent orchestra, by prolonged applause. The proceeds from the affair will be devoted to the funds of St. Paul de Vincent.

Dr. Tillman Briggs was in charge of the cabaret, and is deserving of great credit for the splendid manner in which the event was carried out. Assisting in the programme were Mrs. McDonagh, who charmed the large audience with vocal selections; Miss Dorothy Stuart Robertson, who appeared in a white Pierette costume and gave two little recitations; Mr. Frank Sehl, who took part in the absence of Major Bullock-Webster, and sang, by request, "The Big Bass Viol" and an encore; Miss Laddie Watkins won quite an ovation with her delightful rendering of a Love Song, which was followed by "If You Could Care for Me," while Miss Mamie Fraser, assisted by a chorus brought a very enjoyable programme to a close. Miss Fraser, wearing a picturesque Irish costume, sang a "Colleen's Song," in which her beautiful voice was heard to great advantage, and which combined graceful dancing and Irish cherm. The chorus included Miss Nonie Cutler, Miss C. Tolmie, Miss Frances Briggs and Miss E. Michaelis.

The hall had been decorated with a number of gaily-colored balloons, suspended from the ceiling, and at the close of the Cabaret programme the balloons were sold, the owners of two specified numbers winning prizes. The lucky numbers were held by Mrs. Humber and Mr. L. D. McLean.


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Boys' Strong Ribbed Cotton Hose at, a pair .....**35c**
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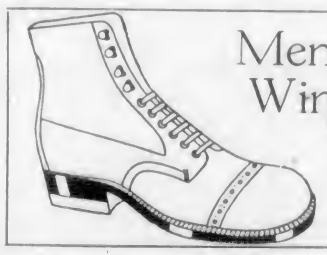

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